JACKET BUZZ

Digitized by the Internet Archive
in 2026 with funding from
Vernon Historical Society

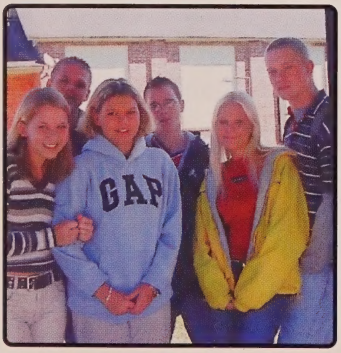
https://archive.org/details/vhs-jacket-buz-2002

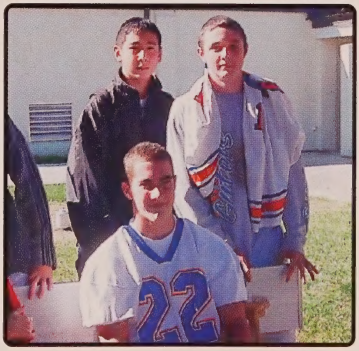
# Vernon High School

## JACKET BUZZ

2001 2002

*On the city's western border reared against the sky, proudly stands our Alma Mater as the years roll by. Onward, forward, be our watchward conquer and prevail. Hail to thee our Alma Mater, Vernon High all hail!*




Phone: (850) 535-2046
Fax: (850) 535-6244
www.firn.edu/schools/washington/vernon_hs

2808 Yellow Jacket Dr.
Vernon, FL 32462

# Senior Class Officers

President
Leslie Strickland

Vice-President
Kim Young

Secretary
Theresa Dennis

Treasurer
Brack Hall

# Senior Class Sponsors

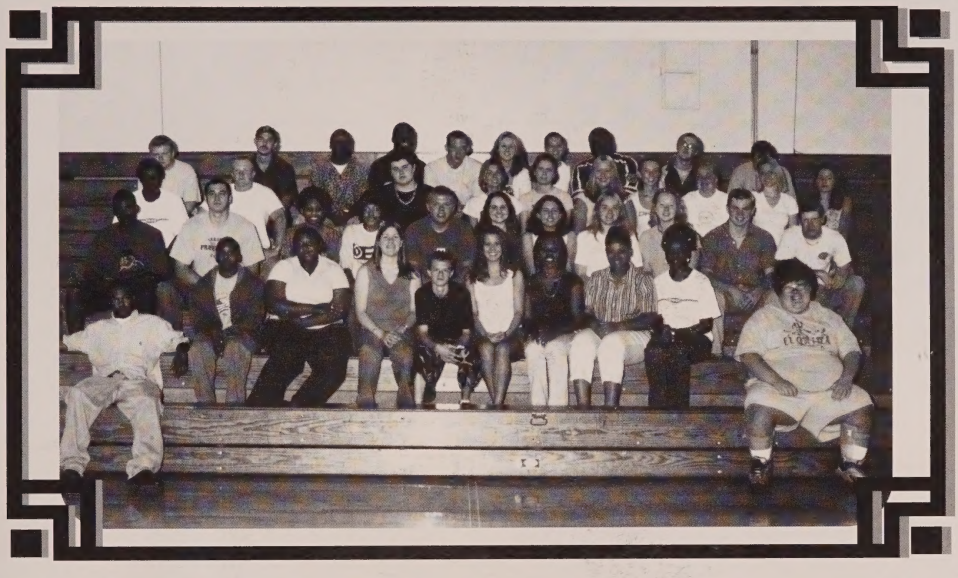
Mrs. Cook

Mrs. Parker

Mrs. Pittman

Mrs. Shores

# Senior Class Of 2001-2002



# 13 Year Vernon Students

Shelley Denise Adams

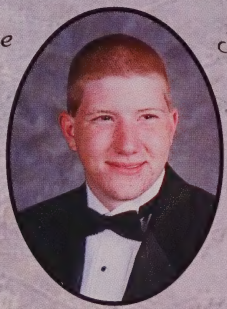
Meghan Elizabeth Allman

Brandi Nicole Baker

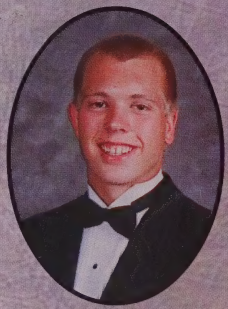
Evelyn Denise Baldwin

Sasha Nicole Barber

Fawn Renee Brady

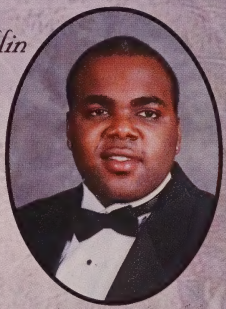


James Franklin Brock



Jonathan Buckanan Brock

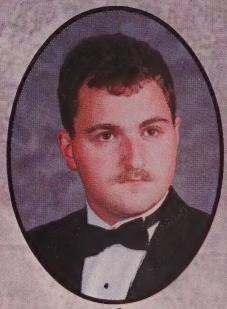
Wilton Joseph Brock



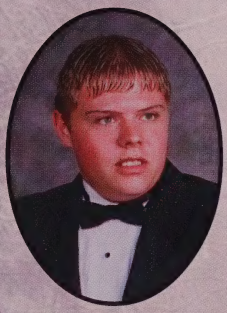
Timothy Allen Brown

Crystal Renee Bryant

Ashley Nicole Bush

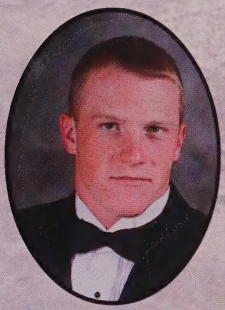


Derek Joe Bush



Vincent P. Carr

Daniel Ansara Clark



Joel Wayne Clark

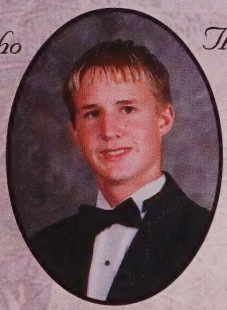
Carrie Ann Coatney

Autumn Rae Collins

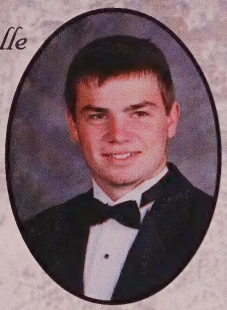
Barbara Vidinho Costa

Theresa Danielle Dennis

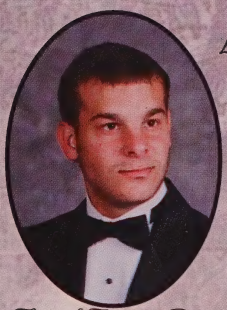
Trahern Dale Eggen



Lonnie Carter Faison

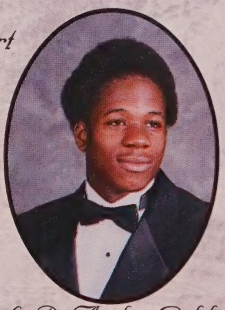


Matthew Robert Finch



Brad Tracy Gainey

Tangela Deloris George



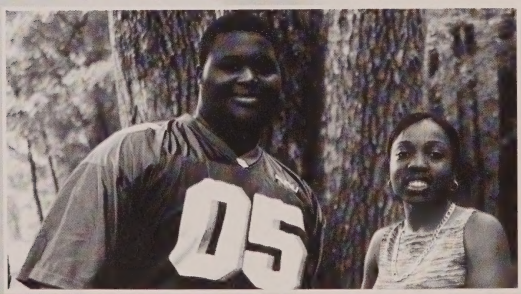
Brooks DeAndre Goldsmith

# SENIOR · CLASS OF 2002

## Class Clown

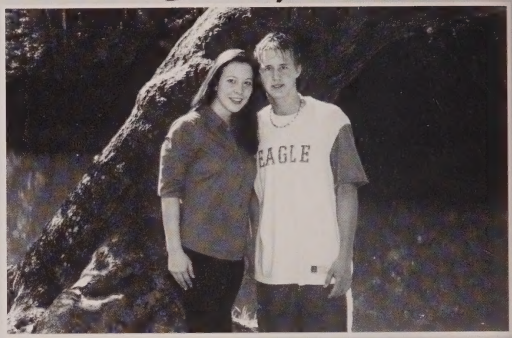
Kim Young and Clint Peace

Tangela George and Avery Siples

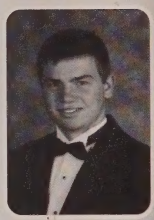


Most Talkative

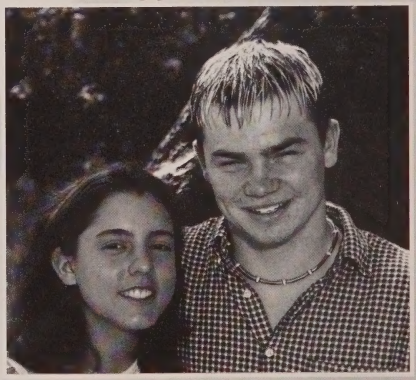
## Class Beauty and Cutie



Rebekah Sapp and Lonnie Faison



Patti Suggs and Matt Finch



Best Smile

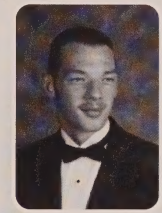
# SUPERLATIVES

## Most Courteous

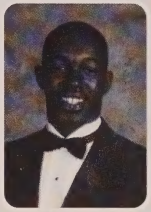
Shelley Adams and Brack Hall

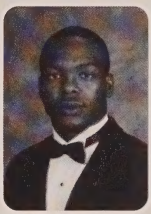
## Class Flirt

Meghan Allman and Jonathan Nettles

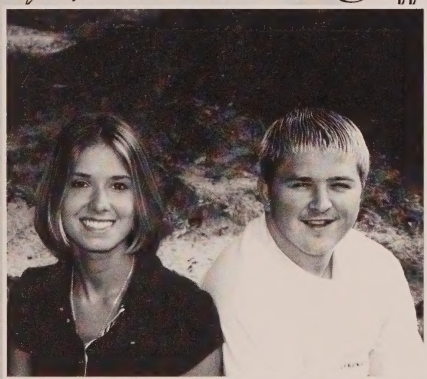


Kayla Harrison and Matt Sheffield





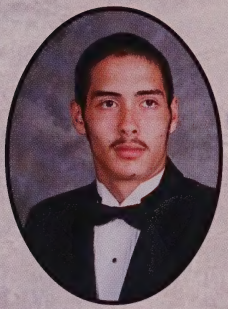
Wilma Hernandez and Montrez Lee



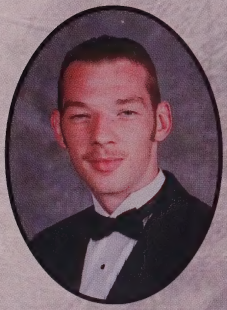
Best Eyes

Most Athletic

Dustin John Green



Steve Alan Hagan

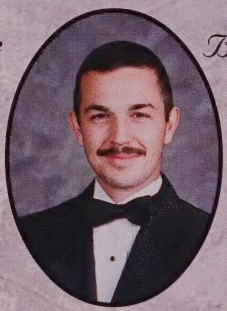


Brack Weston Hall

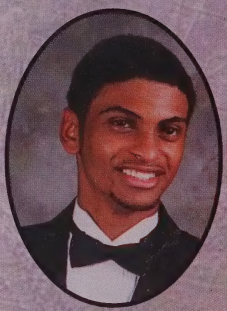
Kayla Renae Harrison

Brandon Leon Hayes

Celya Denise Hearne



Joseph Brandon Hendrix



Angel Ogden Hernandez

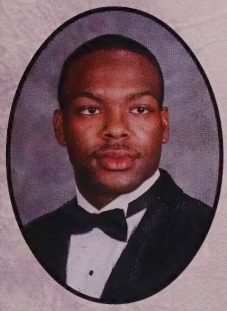
Wilma Angela Hernandez

Chasity Nycole Hetzel

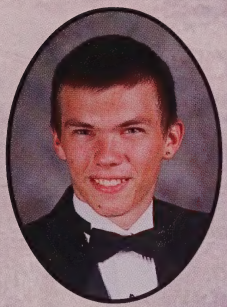
Ariel Nicole Hogans

Kyle M. Jinright

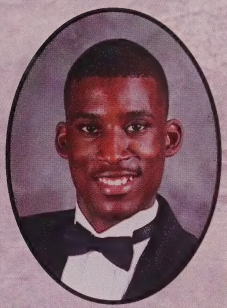
Monica Annette Kirk



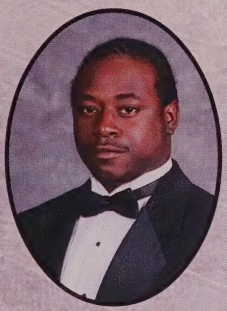
Montrez Rashard Lee



Chris Scott Maggard

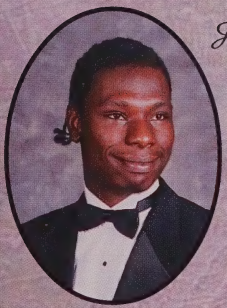


Clozell McDonald

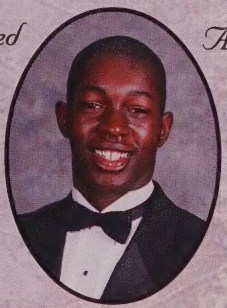


Joshua Bashed Moultry

Alexander Darius Mrazek



Charlie Devon Nettles

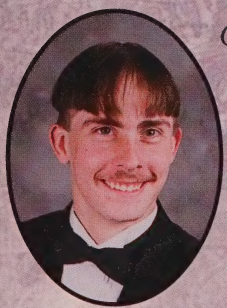


Johnathan Earl Nettles

Amanda Michelle Nichols

Charles Elliott Parrish

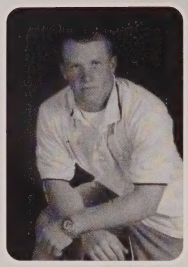
Joanie Marie Payne



Johnnie Lee Payne

Clint Lamarr Peace

Colleen Ann Peoples

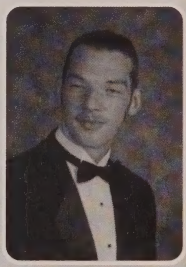


Colleen Peoples and Joel Clark

Quietest

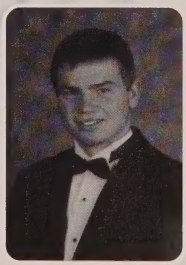
Best Hair

Latoya Bell and Brack Hall



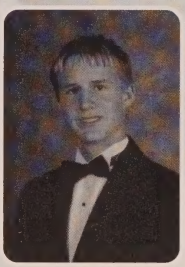
Most Gullible

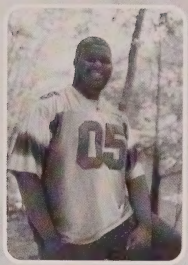
Kayla Harrison and Matt Finch



## Best All Around

Tangela George and Lonnie Faison



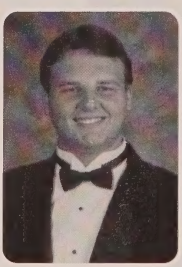


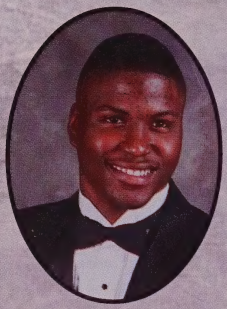
Leslie Strickland and Avery Siples

## Best Dressed

## Most Likely to Succeed

Jill White and Alex Mrazek





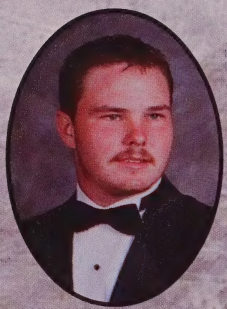
Brent'n Trenell Peterson

LaToya Sharell Peterson

Natasha Renee Peterson

Christina Elizabeth Pippin

Monica Leona Ramirez

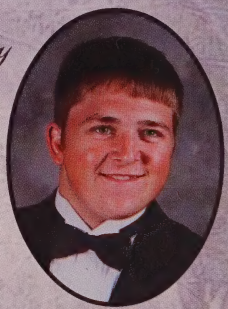


Kyle Jean Sapp

Rebekah Joy Sapp

Gregory Allen Scott

Kevin Edward Scott

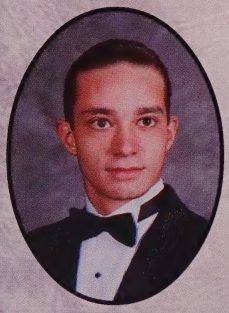


Marvin Matthew Sheffield

Avery Darnell Siples

Kayla D. Skipper

Gracie Lee Slay



Eric Dewayne Smith

Leslie DeAnne Strickland

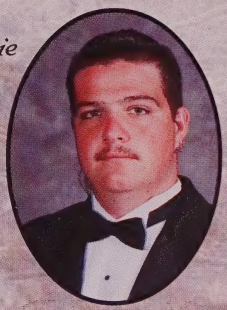
Patricia Denise Suggs

Tiffany Ashley Sumamal

Brandon Fornie Thomas

Debra Faye Thomas

Jesse Gerald Paul Thornton



Roger Allan Weathers

Marcus D. Whiddon

Jill Nicole White

Brandee Lynette Wilson

Kimberly Ann Young

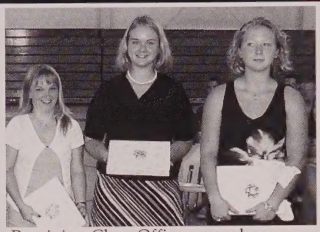
Not Pictured

Ronald Cougar Carpenter

Jesse Allan Paridon

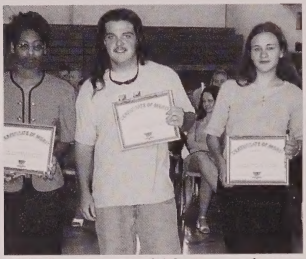
# Senior Awards Assembly

Journalism awards were presented to Patti Suggs, Tiffany Sumamal, Colleen Peoples, Alex Mrazek, and Fawn Brady.



Receiving Class Officer awards were: Theresa Dennis, Kim Young, Leslie Strickland, and Brack Hall (not pictured).

Theresa Dennis, Patti Suggs, Leslie Strickland, Alex Mrazek, Kim Young, Celya Hearne, Kayla Harrison, Nicole Hetzel, and Kevin Scott received Advanced Drama awards.



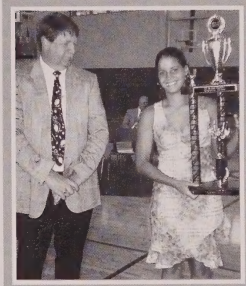
Mr. Lee presented Merit awards to Natasha Peterson, Roger Weathers, and Debra Thomas.

Fawn Brady and Theresa Dennis were presented awards for Salutatorian.

Jill White was presented an award for Valedictorian.

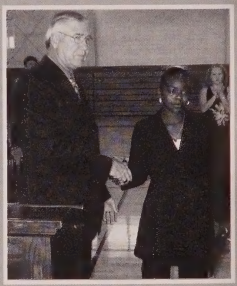
Mrs. Pittman presented FBLA awards to Brent'n Peterson, Celya Hearne, and Latoya Bell.

Mr. Lee presented the Earl Sellers Award to Wilma Hernandez.

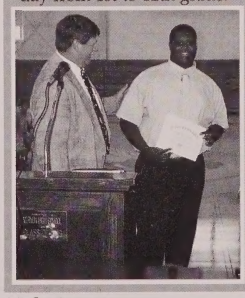


Washington County Scholorship Trust Scholorships were presented to: Joel Clark, Fawn Brady, Mandi Nichols, Jill White, Alex Mrazek, Shelley Adams, Kim Young, Natasha Peaterson, and Latoya Bell.

Glen Maxson presented the Starla Maxson Memorial Scholarship to Ariel Hogans.



Mr. Lee presented a Perfect Attendance award to Avery Siples, who has not missed a day from 1st to 12th grade.



Receiving Beta Club graduation stoles were: Leslie Strickland, Patti Suggs, Kim Young, Theresa Dennis, Shelley Adams, Alex Mrazek, Colleen Peoples, Fawn Brady, Rebekah Sapp, Steve Hagan, Brandi Baker, Jill White, Kayla Harrison and Nicole Hetzel.

Alex Mrazek was awarded a plaque and a check for $100 by the Washington County Chamber of Commerce.

# Senior Trip 2002

Shelley and Patti share a drink as they ride a steamboat across the Mississippi.

Brack and Leslie pose as sea life at the Aquarium in New Orleans.

Kim gets attacked by an astronaut at the Aquarium in New Orleans.

Jill and Brack model the ear muffs provided for the airboat tour.

Brent'n, James, Brack, and Matt relax before they get back on the ariboat.

Colleen and Leslie try on costumes at Mardi Gras World.

## New Orleans

Shelley, Celya, Leslie, the La Toyas, and Kim wait to get in to the Audubon Zoo.

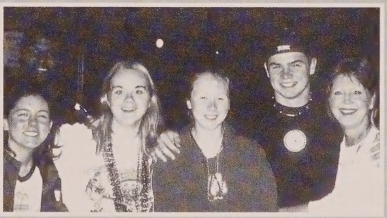
Celya, LaToya, Monica, and LaToya head out of the hotel to spend the day in New Orleans.

Everyone stops to pose for a picture before they head out for the airboat tour.

Brack, Matt, Leslie, Colleen, and Patti take a picture while they wait to eat at Bubba Gumps.

Brent'n and LaToya hold themselves down as the airboat flys through the swamp.

Patti, Brent'n, Kim, Leslie, Matt, and Mrs. Cook huddle for a group shot before heading out to New Orleans.



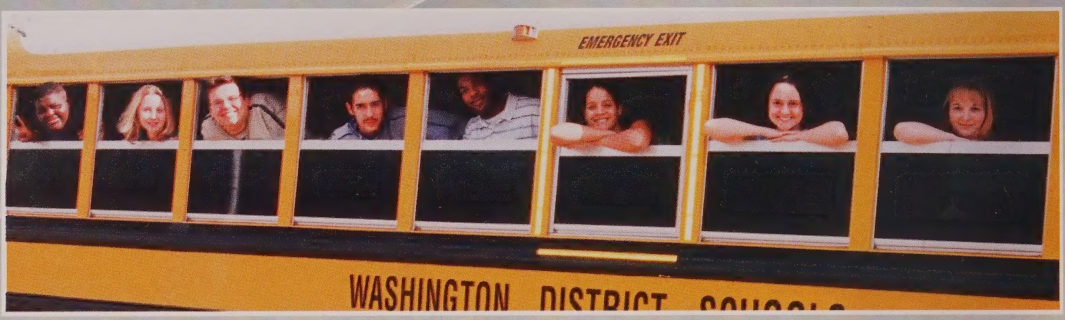
Brack, James, Brent'n, and LaToya act cool as they wait to go on the Haunted History Tour.

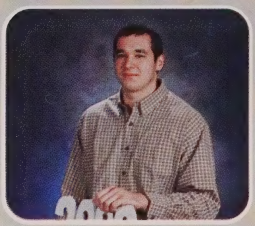
Brack, Kim, Leslie, and Monica wait for their food at the Hard Rock Cafe.

Colleen, Alex, and Patti take a picture before going on the Haunted History Tour.

Mr. Brock sports Kim's hat at the Hard Rock Cafe.

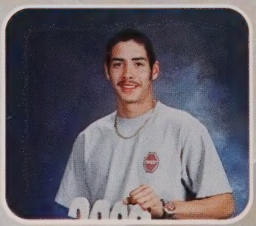
# Senior Hall of Fame



Wilton Brock

Theresa Dennis



Steve Hagan

Wilma Hernandez

Montrez Lee

Alex Mrazek

Colleen Peoples

Avery Siples

Leslie Strickland

CLASS OF 2002

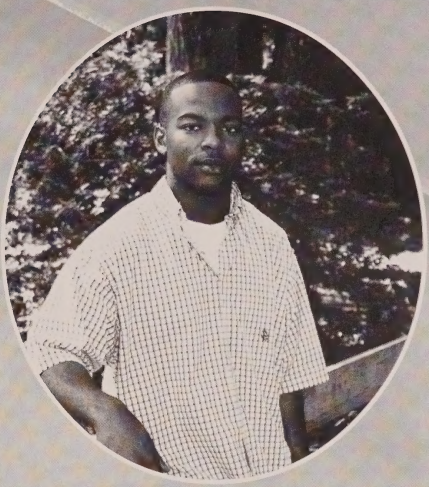
Jill White

# Mr. & MissOHS

## Miss OHS

### Wilma Hernandez

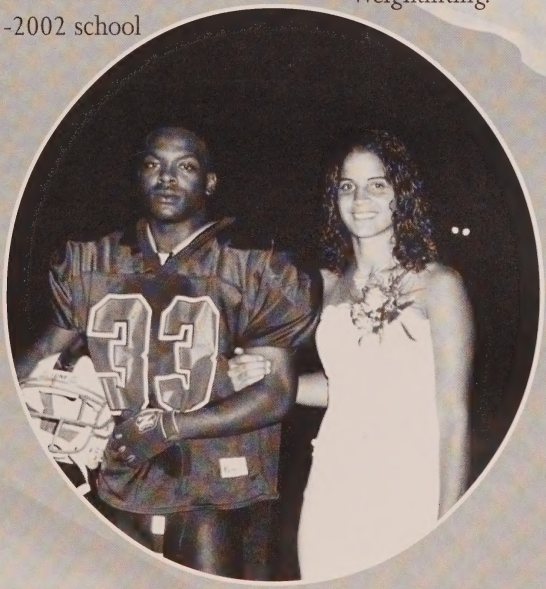
Wilma was on the Volleyball, Basketball, and Softball team. She was the Secretary of FEA, and was Homecoming Queen for the 2001-2002 school year.



## Mr. OHS

### Montrez Lee

Montrez was on the Football team, Baseball team, and was active in Weightlifting.



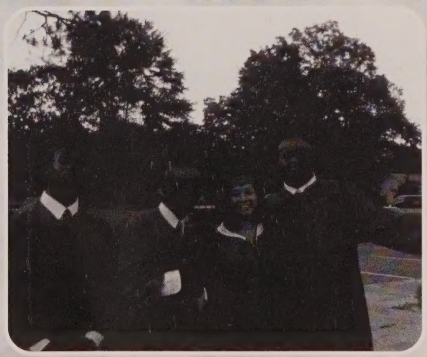
# Graduation

CLASS OF 2002

The Vernon High School Baccaleaureate was held Wednesday, May 15 at the Vernon Evangelistic Church. We are getting closer to graduating! The Vernon Graduation was on Friday, May 17. It only seemed like yesterday that we were wishing for the day to come. It finally has come and through all the joy and sadness we are finally the 2002 Graduates of Vernon High School.

*Left*: All of the seniors happily throw their hats.
*Right*: Theresa Dennis gives the Salutatorian speech.

*Above*: A group of seniors are chillin'.

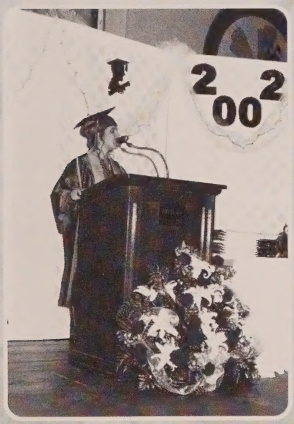


*Right*: Autumn Collins is helping Brandi Baker get ready for the big moment.
*Left*: Brooks, Brent'n, Tiffany, and Avery are just hanging out.

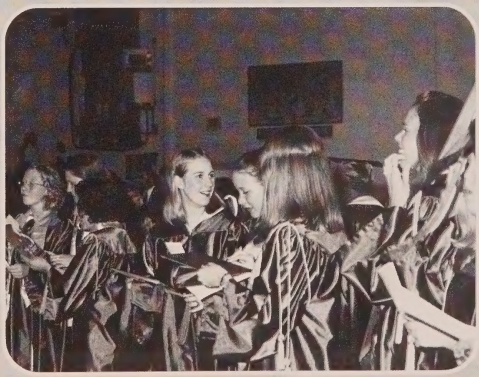
*Left*: Cougar, Crystal, and Derek gather around for a picture. *Below*: A group of friends get together for one last pose. *Right*: Another group smile for the camera.

*Above*: Alex digging into his wallet for a iittle change.

*Above*: Tim and Josh start thinking about their future.




*Above*: Jill White gives the Valedictorian speech



# Prom

**INFO**

***WHEN***: March 29, 2002
***WHERE***: Edgewater Beach Resort-Panama City Beach, FL
***TIME***: 7:30-11:30 P.M.
***THEME***: Mardi Gras

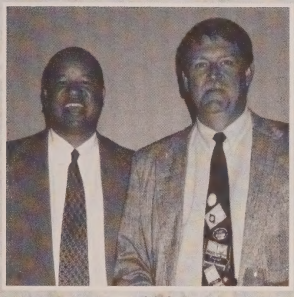
These hard working Juniors hepled make Prom 2002 memorable for everyone.

Left: Sharonda and Ashley are havin' a good time.

# "Strangers In

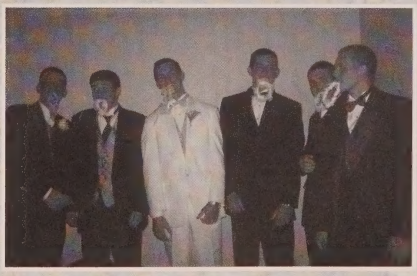
# 2002

Brentn' gets his groove on!



Mr. Lee, was one drink not enough?

## Prom King and Queen- Steve Hagan & Theresa Dennis



# The Night"

# UNDERCLASSMEN

## Juniors

class of 2003

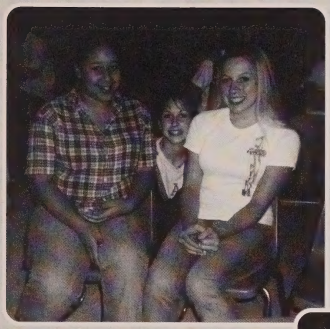
## Sophomores

class of 2004

## Freshmen

class of 2005

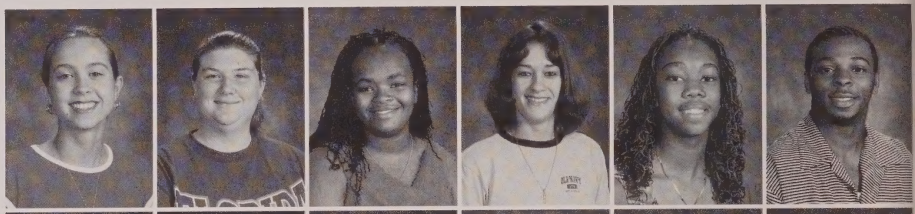
# STUDENT LIFE



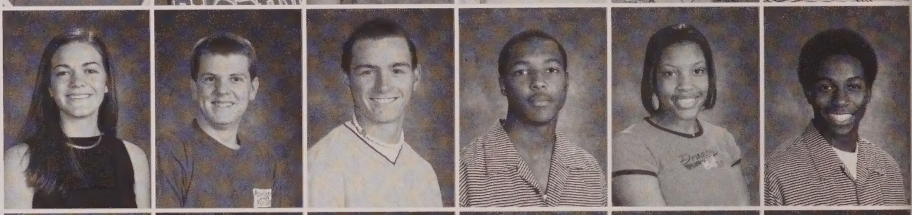
DON'T POISON MY POND!

# 11th Grade Juniors

Ashley Alford
Danielle Arndt
Sharonda Belser
Jenna Birge
Sherale Bland
Cortez Bowers



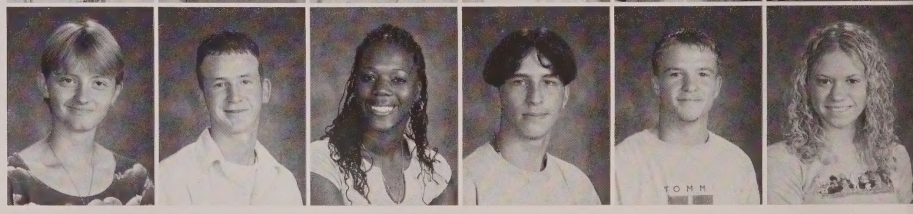
Ashly Boyce
Andy Bradley
Newton Brock
Desmond Brown
Donshe` Brown
Kerry Brown



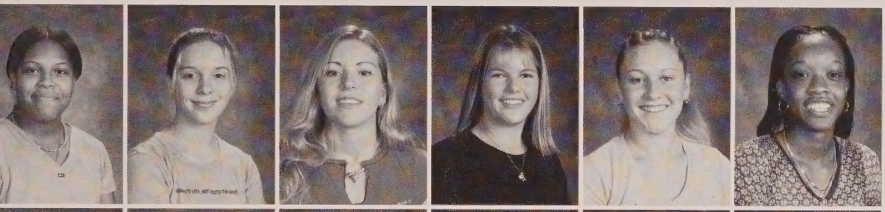
Torrea Brown
George Chaney
Jennifer Churchwell
Diana Coleman
Christina Colson
Gary Corbin

Chris Cronic
Shawana Davis
Tenora Davis
Towana Davis
Nickole Desautels
Miranda Earnest

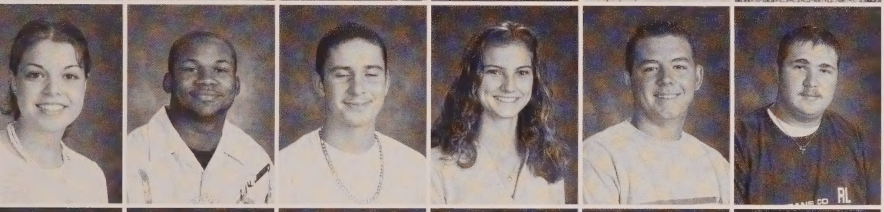
Karrie Gentes
Charles Glover
Cierra Goldsmith
David Hackman
Seth Haskins
Cassidy Hetzel



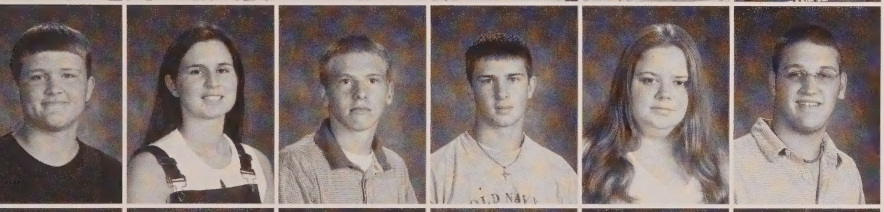
# Class of 2003



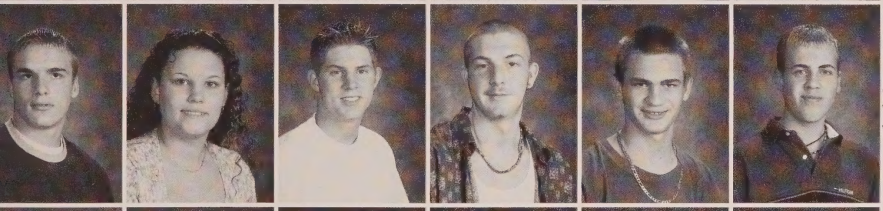
Ashley Jackson
Jennifer Johnson
Brandy Kennamore
Brittany Kolmetz
Shelly Lancin
Marquitta Malone



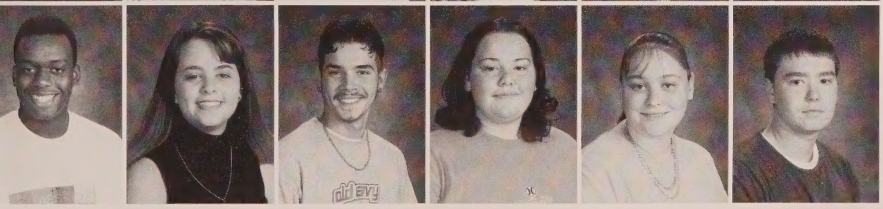
Krista Marschka
James McGriff
Mark McKinney
Megan Miles
Napoleon Mitchell
Garret Moody



Josh Mullens
Nichole Owens
William Owens
Jimmie Phillips
Jennifer Pitts
Jacob Presnell

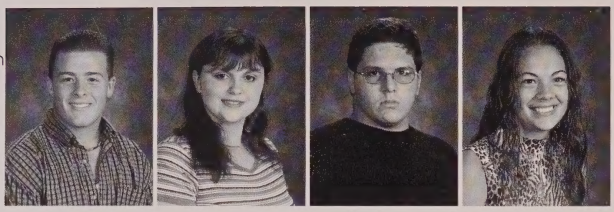


Lee Richards
Kay Sewell
Chris Sciolino
William Sheffield
William Slay
Matthew St.Amant

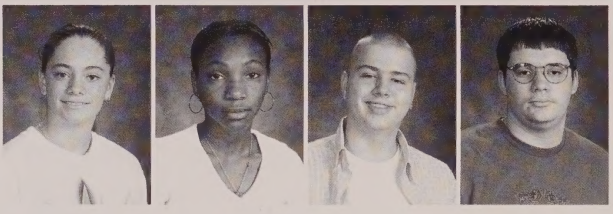


DeJuan Stevens
Casey Taylor
Josh Tice
Shayna Toole
Dixie Trotter
Joseph Vanvourous

Dustin Vaughn
Brandy Washington
Richard Westling
Jessica Williams



Casey Wise
Dominique Works
Riley Wright
James Wyatt



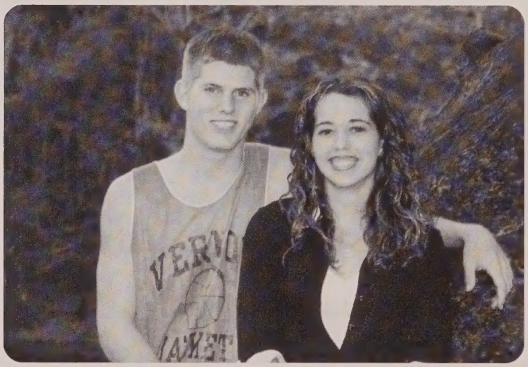
# Not Pictured

Tony Broxton
Hakim Brown
Ross Brown
Jessica Carter
Doug Cook
Jenna Givens

Misty Hall
Sheena Harris
Vitoya Hodge
Charlie Nettles
Randi Pittman

Christina Redmon
Bo Robinson
Dusti Skipper
Janese Story

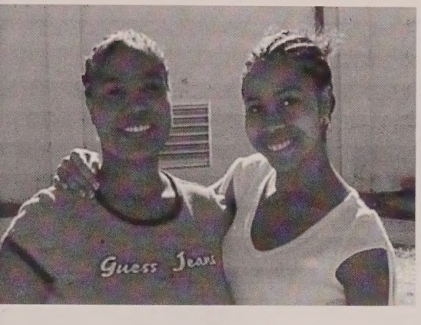
Leonard Smith
Dennis Tappan
Matt Whitfield
Renee Winters
Zaneta Works
Stephanie Young



**Above**: Class Cutie& Beauty; Chris Sciolino and Sheena Harris

**Above**: Class Favorites: Donshe Brown and Kerry Brown

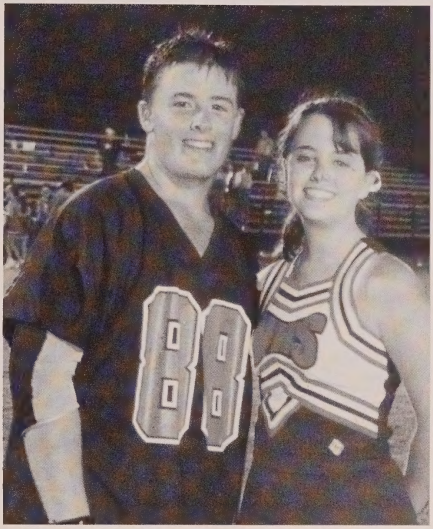
**Right**:Class Officers; Nichole Owens; President.Sheena Harris; Vice -President. Brittany Kolmetz; Secretary. Ashly Boyce; Treasurer

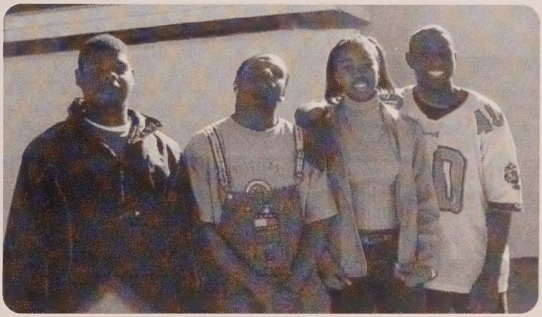



**Left**: Shawana and Towana Davis just hanging out. **Right:** Junior band members, Shayna Toole and David Hackman take a minute from eating lunch to smile for the camera.

# GET THE PICTURE

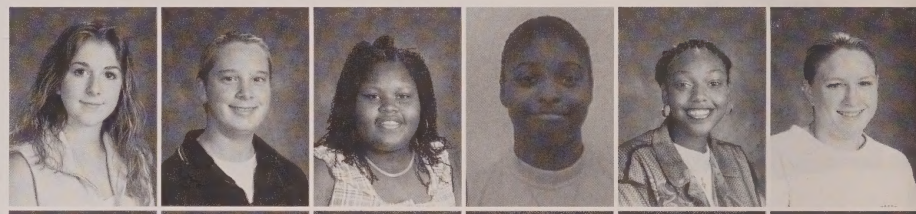
**Below are some pictures of Juniors during Homecoming Week and during Lunch.**





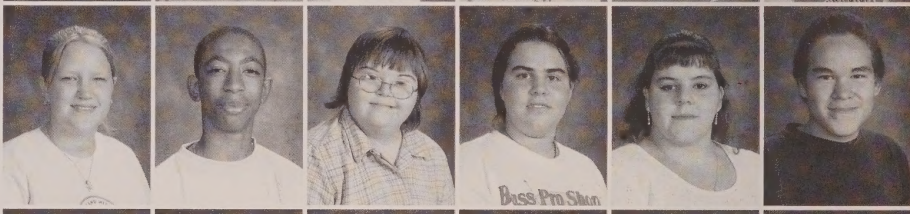
# 2002 Sophomores

Teresa Abner
Axel Allen
Brittney Andrews
Nickia Andrews
Chakita Andrews
Lauren Arndt

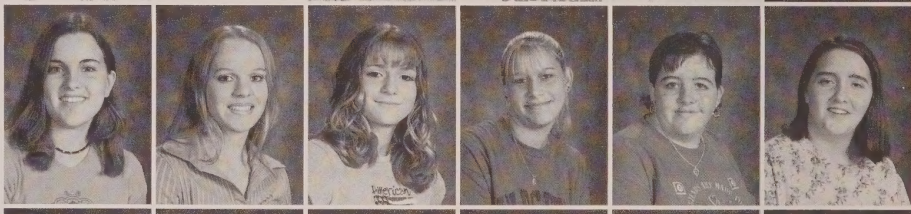


Michelle Arndt
William Baily
Jessica Baker
Mandy Blankenship
Noah Boswell
Heather Bowen

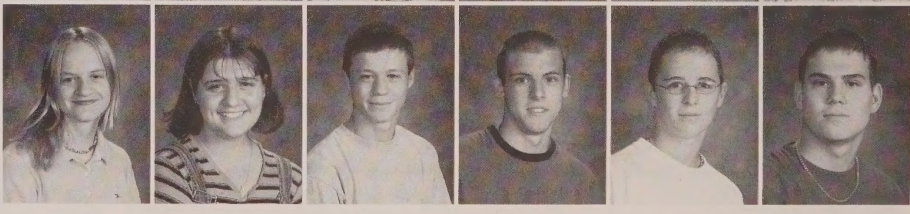
Leigh Brock
Tony Broxton
Erin Burch
Jennifer Cate
Jessica Chapman
Allen Cheverie

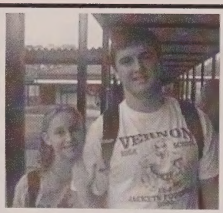


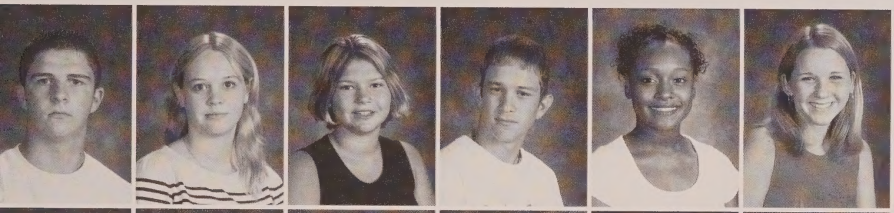
Elizabeth Childs
Lindsay Clark
Ultra Collins
Christy Cook
Lori Creamer
Summer Creamer



Teresa Derico
Jodie Evans
Bradley Finch
Stann Galloway
Timothy Garner
Patrick Gatling

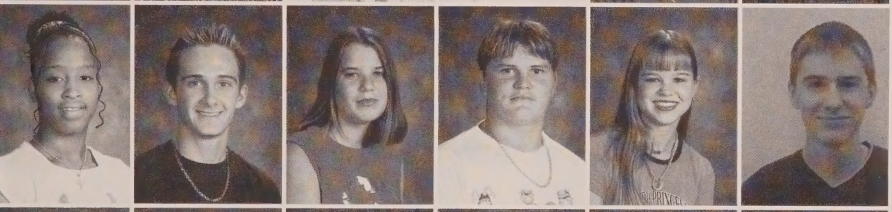






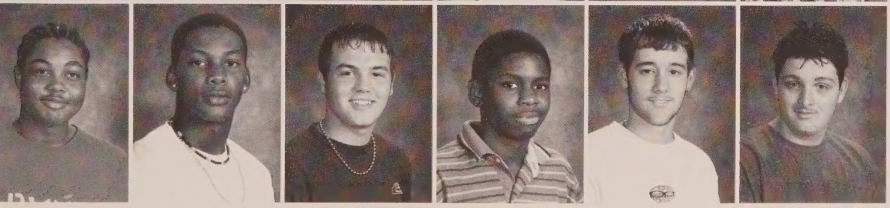
Brent Gibson
Candy Hammock
Jessica Hawkins
David Hewett
Andrena Johnson
Kristen Kennedy

Debra Landers
Katrina Leavins
Sabrina Leavins
April Lee
Kevin Lee
Dominique Lott

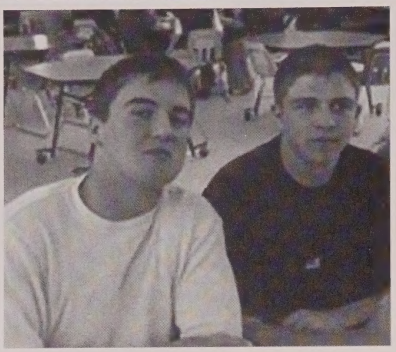


Alicia McDonald
Bradley McNutt
Bobbi Monk
Joshua Newsome
Brandy Odom
Casey Parish

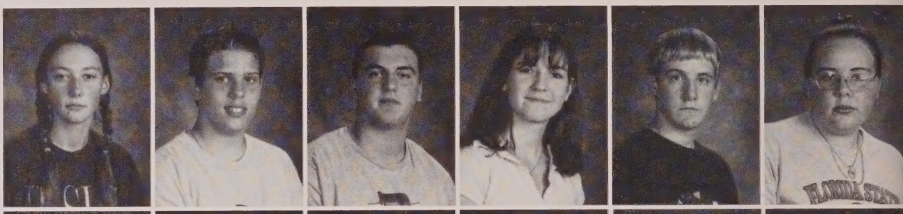
Zachary Pace
Jason Palmer
Jerri Pate
Jacqueline Paul
Ashley Payne
Kenny Peoples



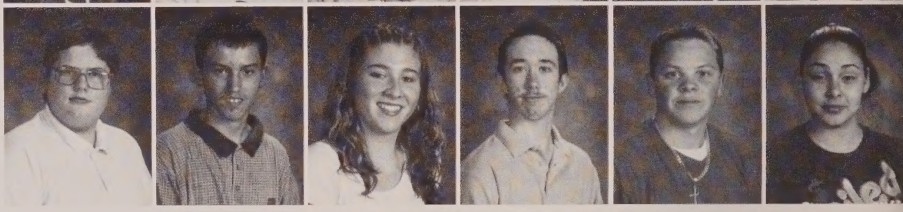
Chaddrick Peterson
Dextrel Petersorn
Justin Porter
Quenten Potter
Gerry Prevatt
Timothy Riveras



Krystal Simmons
Mark St.Cere
Jared Stufflestreet
Samantha Suits
Bradley Thomas
Gerrie Toole



Milton Walters
Brady Washington
Tiffany Weber
Christopher Widenborner
Christopher Wellhausen
Amanda Wills

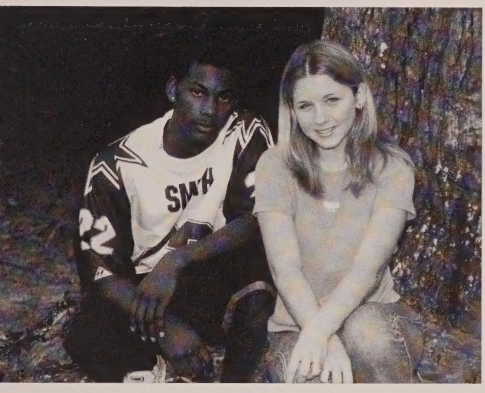


# NOT PICTURED:

Richard Austin
Victoria Butler
Scott Harris
Christopher Hurst
Christopher Kirk
Bobby Maggard
Roxanne McCartney
Michael McClendon
Elyse McKinney
Jeffrey Paridon
Labryan Peterson
Bobby Rogers
Adam Sheffield
Joseph Vanvorus
Kenny Watford
Christopher Yates
William Yates

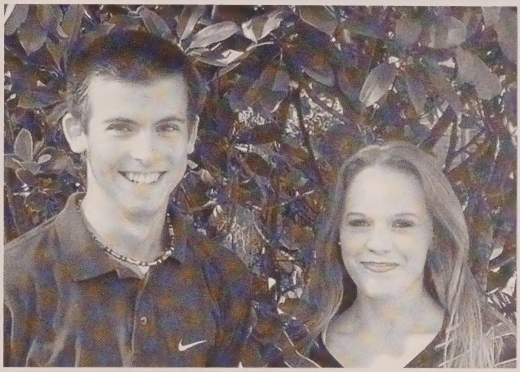
## Just ONE OF THOSE THINGS

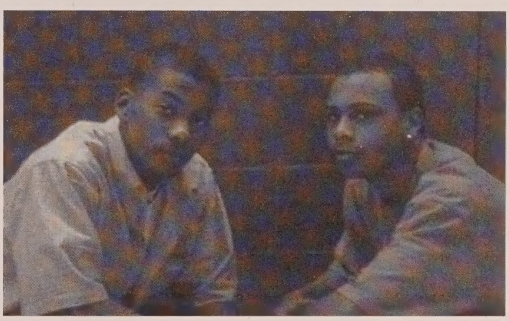
# Class Favorites, Beauty & Cutie

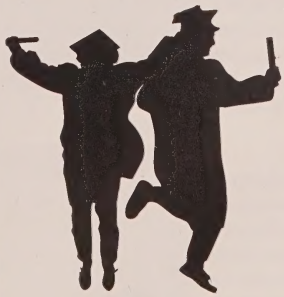


Class Cutie, Dextrel Peterson and Class Beauty, Kristen Kennedy

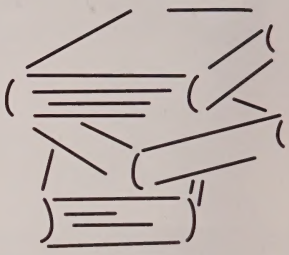
Class Favorites, Chris Galloway and Lindsay Clark







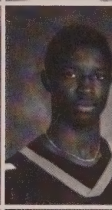
# VERNON HIGH SCHOOL FRESHMEN



Jacob Adams
Jennifer Anderson
Eldera Andrews
Kelly Baker
Kari Baldry
Ernest Bishop

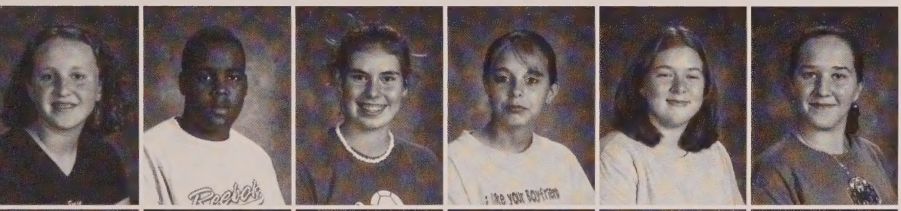
Alesha Blair
Patrick Brady
Amanda Brock
Brittan Brock
Douglas Brown
Genevelyn Brown

Roxanne Bryant
Ronald Burkett
Sarah Burch
Antawon Bush
Christy Bush
Terandell Coleman



Robert Cook
Katherine Creel
Matthew Crundwell
Dewey Desalvo
Brete Duncan
Lacey Dupuis

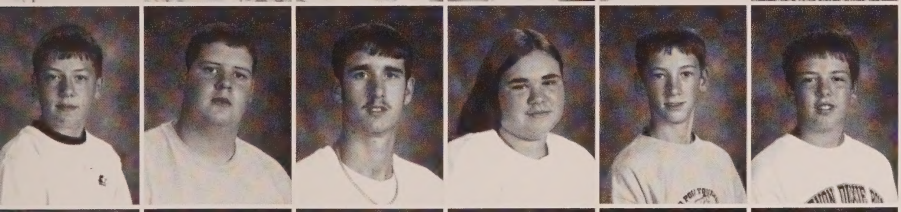
Anthony Evans
Sarah Forrester
Rodger French
Kayla Gallaway
Crystal Geiger
Pamela Gerard



Stacy Glover
Ervin Green
Elizabeth Haddock
Christen Hammack
Lacy Harrison
Meagon Hayes

Jonathan Hetzel
Kenneth Huffman
Brandon Isenhour
Nicholas Isom
Chris Jackson
Amy Jones

Timothy King
Tabitha Lewellen
Shannon Lopez
Fredda Lord
Matthew Luna
Scott Marshall

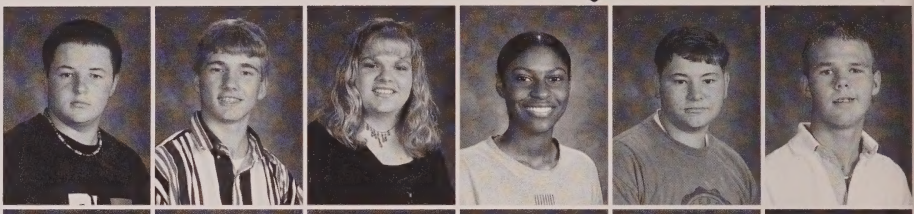


Michael Merring
Jonathon Miller
Matthew Miller
Kortney Moody
Brandon Morrell
Michael Park

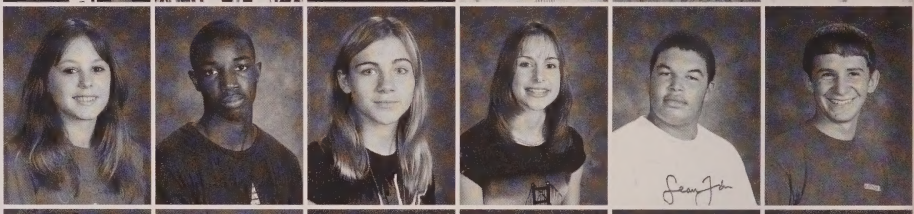
Felicia Paul
Shelly Peirce
Michelle Perdue
Ashley Phillips
Joseph Presnell
Steven Reeves

# CLASS OF 2005

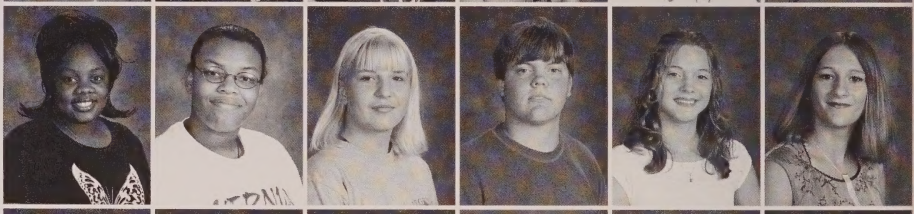
James Register
Eric Richards
Hope Richards
Tchanavian Roche
Matthew Rogers
Elton Sapp



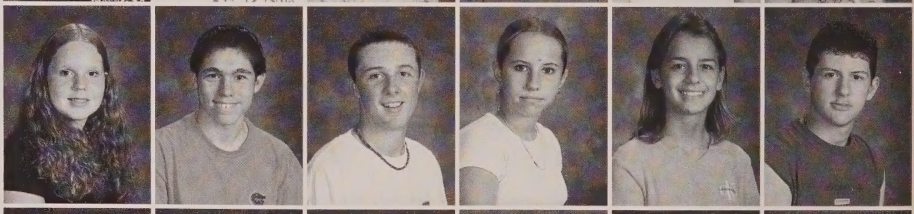
Sasha Schnockenberg
Dwight Siples
Rebekah Slay
Jacquelyne Smelcer
Trevor Smeltzly
David Sparks



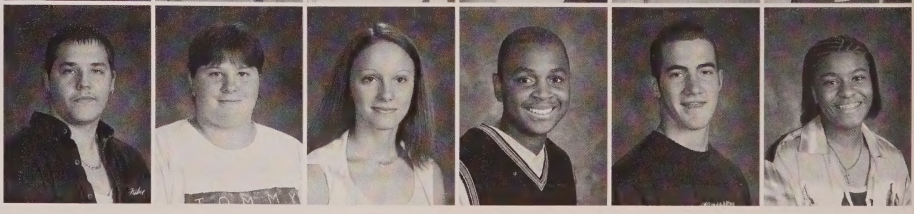
Shontae Staton
Velencia Stevens
Brittnie Storm
Michael Strausbaugh
Rebecca Strausbaugh
Brittany Srickland



Haley Strickland
Terry Suggs
Jesse Taylor
Kayla Terry
Stephanie Thompson
Kameron Thornton



Jamison Tice
Pamela Turner
Shayna Van Vorous
Myron Washington
Jacob Watkins
Angel Wilson



# Not Pictured

Tabitha Worthington

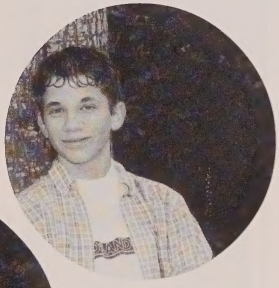
Vestus Mitchell
Jeremy Smith
Kenneth Stahley
John Caswell
Carl Edmondson

Jeffrey Gentes
Jamie Gurganus
Mark McKinney
Casandra Nettles

Jason Sheffield
Joshua Smith
Lindsey Bateman
Justin Coatney

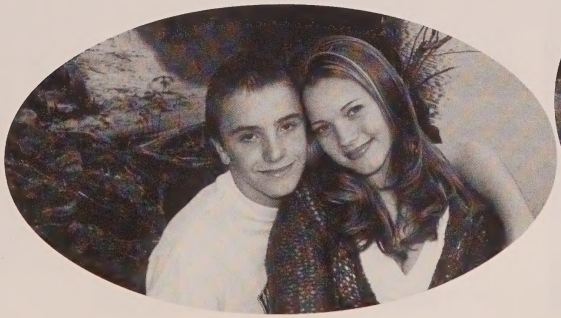
Elija Goodman
Joshua Hagan
Matthew Miller
Jack Parrish

## Class Favorites



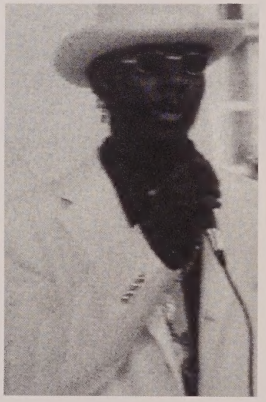
*Rebecca Strausbaugh and Jonathan Hetzel*

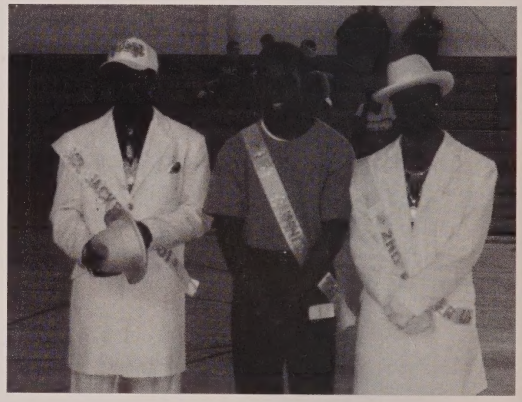
## Class Beauty and Cutie



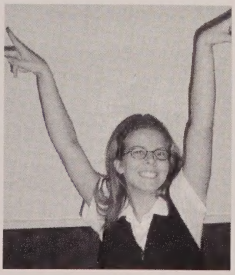
*Rebecca Strausbaugh and Brittan Brock*

Far Right: The Senior Class float making its way through the parade. Right: The Freshmen Class showing their school spirit. Below far right: Mr.Jacket winners: 1st, Kerry Brown; 3rd, Dejuan Stevens; & 2nd Dextrel Peterson. Below Right: Kerry Brown 2001 Mr. Jacket. Below: Winner of the coveted Spirit Stick is the Junior Class.

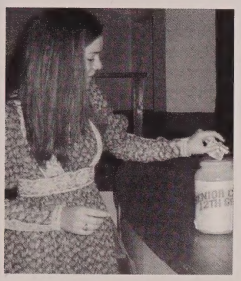




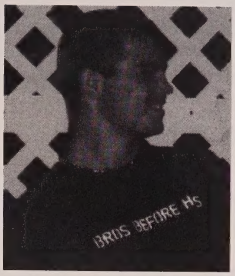
# Take It To The Hive



Left: Is that a character from SNL? No, It's Jill. Below: Cortez, Desmond, & Kerry flashed back as women from the 70's. Right:Amanda looks like a hillbilly.

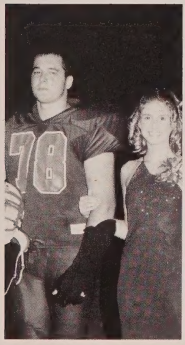


Left: Ashley donates $1 to the Senior jar. Below: Jarod, Jonathan, Kim, & Christina compete in Fluffy Bunny. Right: Matt is trying to get a date on the Dating Game.




# Homecoming 2001

Left: The 2001 Homecoming Court: Evelyn Baldwin, Autum Collins, Nycole Hetzel, Leslie Strickland, Wilma Hernandez, Brandi Baker, Kayla Harrison, Patti Suggs, Meghan Allman, Jill White, Mandi Nichols, Kayla Skipper, Theresa Dennis, Tangela George, Kim Young, LaToya Bell. Not pictured: LaToya Peterson. The Attendants: Rebecca Strausbaugh, Lindsay Clark, Sheena Harris.

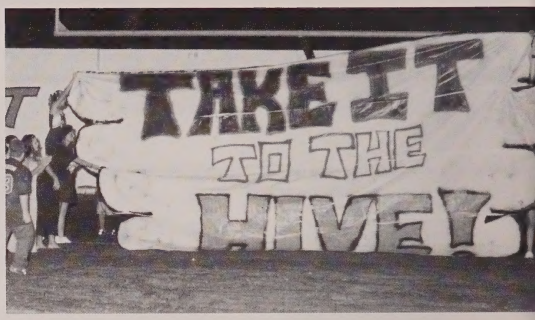


Far Right: Kayla Harrison is the 2nd runner-up for Homecoming Queen. Right: Theresa Dennis was chosen as 1st runner-up. Above: Wilma Hernandez was chosen as the VHS Homecoming Queen.

Above: Leslie, Kim, & Theresa are anxious to get the show on the road.

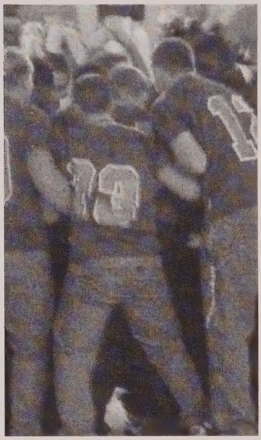
# Homecoming Game

## Vernon 43
## Blountstown 28

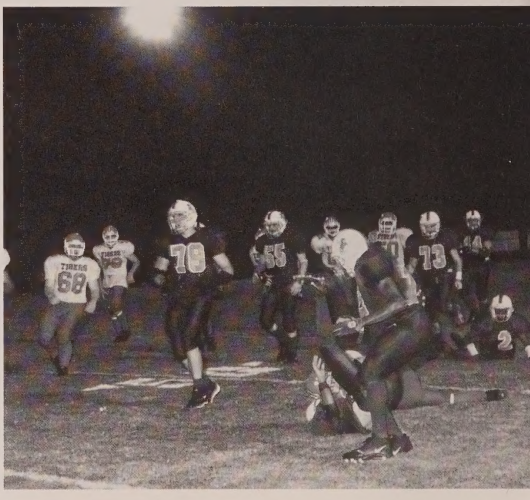



Right: The Jacket's are getting ready to 'Take It To The Hive'.
Below: What happened to Blountstown's blocking? Go get 'em Jonathan.

Below: The football team gets into the spirit of Homecoming at the pep rally.



Above: The Jackets rip through the sign ready to take the field.



Left: The Jackets are working their way towards a touchdown.

We're #1

# Jacket SPORTS

The mighty Jacket defense is hard at work.

The Lady Jackets take to the Volleyball Court looking for a win!

*The Most Important Thing I Know About the Spirit of Sport....*

*It instills in us the ability to recgonize and appreciate the talents of others as well as the gifts we have been given and the ability to work with others as a team. It also allows us to face the challenge of competition, learn from our success and failures, altogether making us true champions in life.*

*-Dr. Dot Richardson*

Kerry Brown is looking for someone to pass the ball to.

Fellowship of Christian Athlete Members

The Varsity Cheerleaders leading the team to victory!

# Let's Go Jackets!

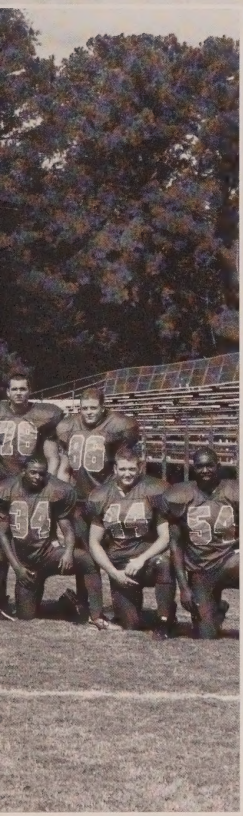
# Varsity Football

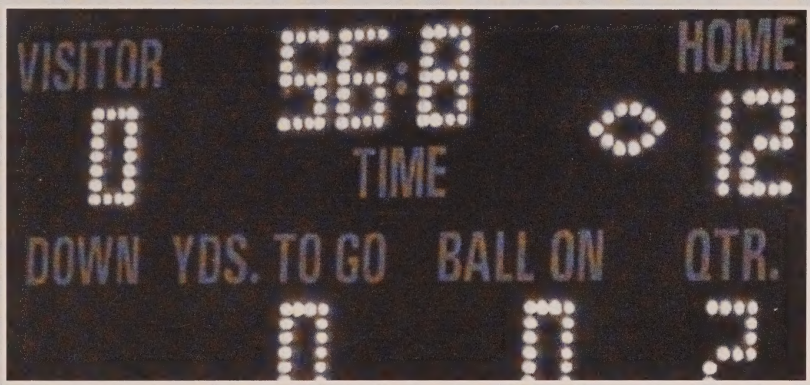
Below: The guys are getting a pep talk from Coach Halladay.

Above: Coach McClain, Coach Johnson, and Coach Presnell are getting ready for the next play.

Right: J.J. McGriff is making his way towards the goal line for a touchdown.

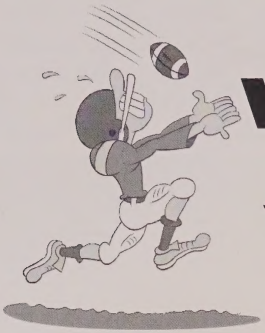
Below: Brent Gibson kicks the ball way down the field while Steve & Jake block.






Top Row, Left to Right: Coach Berry Halladay, Matt Finch, Josh Newsom, DeJuan Stevens, Matt Sheffield, Ross Brown, Jared Stufflestreet, Jonathan Brock, Kyle Sapp, Avery Siples, Wilton Brock, & Dustin Vaughn.
Bottom Row, Left to Right: Clint Peace, Marcus Whiddon, Dextrel Peterson, Josh Moultry, Steve Hagan, Lee Richards, Brent Gibson, Desmond Brown, J.J. McGriff, Montrez Lee, Cortez Bowers, Jake Presnell, & Jonathan Nettles.
Not Pictured: Joel Clark.
Coaches: Greg Presnell, Chris Tyre, Willie McClain, Po White, & Trey Howell.
Managers: Jed Tyre & Joe Presnell

Above: The score at halftime between Chipley & Vernon (We all know Vernon won 25-0).



# VERNON HIGH JV FOOTBALL

**Top left to right:**

| | |
|---|---|
| Trevor Smeltzly | 56 |
| Stan Galloway | 15 |
| Michael Strausbaugh | 65 |
| Terandell Coleman | 84 |
| Jeremy Smith | 74 |
| Kenny Watford | 7 |
| Dwight Siples | 33 |

**Middle left to right:**

| | |
|---|---|
| Matthew Crundwell | 72 |
| John Swinehart | 64 |
| Mark St. Cere | 51 |
| Heith Hewett | 23 |
| Jacob Watkins | 28 |
| Jesse Taylor | 12 |
| Wilwes Vaughn | 75 |
| Brad Register | 53 |

Only the BEST!

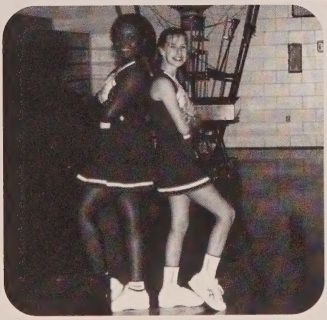
**Bottom left to right:**

| | |
|---|---|
| Robert Cook | 85 |
| Erick Richards | 73 |
| Doug Brown | 60 |
| Brandon Merrell | 2 |
| Brittan Brock | 24 |
| Michael Park | 82 |
| Joe Presnell | 34 |

# Junior Varsity Cheerleading

AND THE CROWD GOES WILD!

The 2001-2002 Junior Varsity Cheerleaders are: *Starting from the Bottom Row, from Left:* Heather Bowen, Jacquelyn Smelcer, Elyse McKinney, Chakita Andrews, Andrena Johnson, Kristal Smith, Stacey Glover, and Stephanie Thompson.



Captain Andrena Johnson and Co-Captain Jacquelyn Smelcer flash us their glamorous smiles!

The girls show off one of their many long-practiced stunts.

# Varsity

Mrs. Kathy Widdon, sponsor.

## Accept the CHALLENGE

The 2001-2002 Varsity Cheerleaders are: *Bottom Row, from Left:* Ashley Alford, Patti Suggs, Jill White, Casey Taylor. *Top Row, from Left:* Ashley Adkison, Ashly Boyce, Christina Colson, Krista Marschka.

"This year's squad was full of talented girls. We were able to work well together and made tons of great memories doing it."

The girls pose for the camera at the Vernon-Baker game.

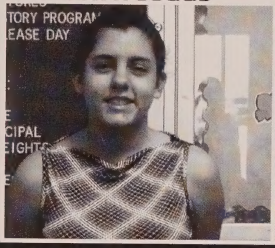
## Captain - Jill White

Give 100%

# Cheerleading

## Most Memorable Moment

**PATTI SUGGS**



The most memorable moment for me was when we put the Chipley Tigers to rest for the third year in a row with a victory of 25-0.

**KRISTA MARSCHKA**

I think the most memorable moment was in Northview when we got lost, we ended up being late, and it poured on us.

**CASEY TAYLOR**

The most memorable moment this year was during Homecoming when the Juniors won the spirit stick!!

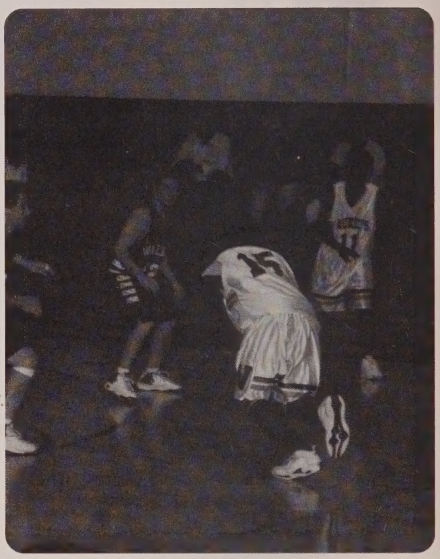
Krista, Ashly, and Christina give us a smile during Homecoming week.

"It's so much fun coming together as a small group to be part of something so big."

## Co-Captain - Christina Colson

# BOYS VARSITY BASKETBALL

The Boys Varsity Basketball team had a pretty good year. They end the season with a 13-13 record. Better luck next year !!!!



Boys Basketball

| Opponents | Us | Them |
|---|---|---|
| Tip-off Classic | | |
| Poplar Springs | 83 | 35 |
| Arnold | 51 | 43 |
| Walton | 70 | 55 |
| Altha | 68 | 42 |
| Rocky Bayou | 54 | 39 |
| Poplar Springs | 83 | 38 |
| Walton-Log Tourn. | | |
| Paxton Christmas Tourn. | | |
| Chipley | 66 | 85 |
| Graceville | 58 | 68 |
| Freeport | 76 | 72 |
| Bonifay | 62 | 66 |
| Walton | 49 | 42 |
| Panhandle Con. | | |
| Chipley | 47 | 87 |
| Blountstown | 57 | 36 |
| Rocky Bayou | 60 | 32 |
| Freeport | 77 | 76 |
| Bonifay | 46 | 75 |
| Arnold | 52 | 63 |
| Graceville | 57 | 58 |
| Blountstown | 40 | 55 |
| Altha | 59 | 58 |
| Boys Dist. Tourn. | | |

Boys Varsity Basketball Players: (Back Row): Brooks Goldsmith, Chris Sciliono, Brack Hall, James Wyatt, Clint Peace, and manager; DeJuan Stevens. (Front Row): Cortez Bowers, Lonnie Fasion, Desmond Brown, Brent'n Peterson, and Kerry Brown.

Above Left: The boys look on as the other team shoots and scores.
Above Right: The guys are practicing before a game.

# Way to GO!

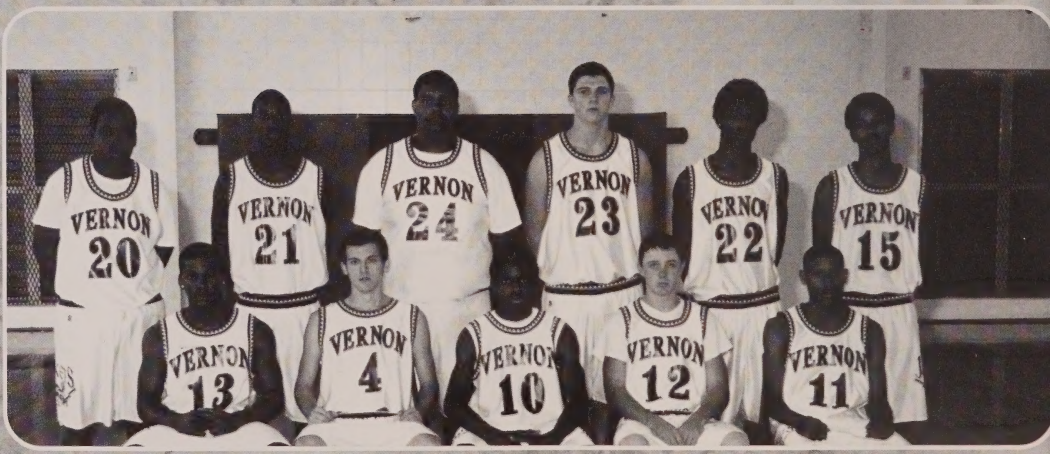
Above: Brooks taking a foul shot for the Vernon Jackets.
Right: The guys gather around for a few words of encouragement.

Right: Brent'n and Clint are waiting for some action.

# Boys JV Basketball

The guys come together to figure out their next play.

The team gets a pep talk from Coach White.




*Top Row, Left to Right*: Ervin Green, Dwight Siples, Jeremy Smith, Brent Gibson, T.C. Coleman, Antwan Bush
*Bottom Row, Left to Right*: Dextrel Peterson, Chris Galloway, Quentin Potter, Jesse Taylor, Eldra Andrews.
Not Pictured: Coach Jerry Davis and Coach Poe White.

# JUNIOR VARSITY VOLLEYBALL

**From Left to Right:** Cassidy Hetzel, Stephanie Young, Jennifer Pitts, Megan Miles, Brittany Kolmetz, Sheena Harris, and Lindsay Clark. **Not Pictured:** Kayla Galloway and Elizabeth Haddock.

**Coach Belinda Hendrix**

"We had a great season this year. The girls worked hard and did their best. I am so proud to have gotten to work with the team and Mrs. Kim Register. It will be one of my happiest memories."

# FRESHMAN VOLLEYBALL

**Back Row:** Stacy Glover, Megan Hayes, Kayla Galloway, Elizabeth Haddock, Lacey Dupuis, Delcena Brown, and Amanda Brock.
**Front Row:** Amy Jones, Shannon Lopez, Kortney Moody, Alesha Blair, Angel Wilson, and Velencia Stevens.

## Two Special Players

Kayla Galloway and Elizabeth Haddock played on both the Junior Varsity and Freshman teams.

# Varsity Volleyball Adventures

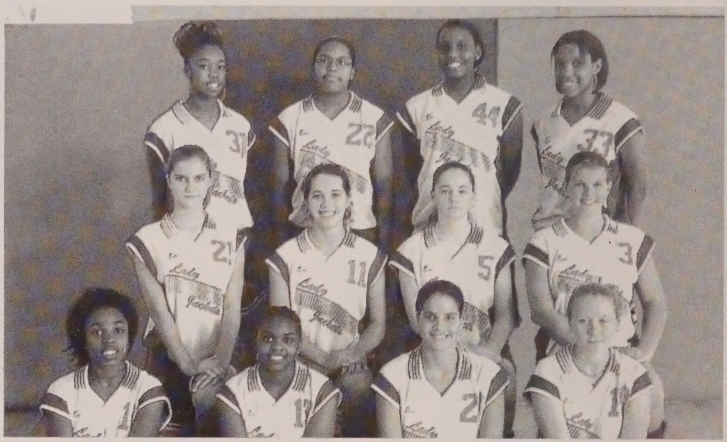
## The Players in Action

Top: Coach Kim Register and Belinda Hendrix
Second: Coach Hendrix gives advice to the waiting players.
Third: The players get ready for the shot.

## On the Journey

The Varsity Volleyball Team started on a long trip of losses and wins. The road started out a little rocky, but the girls soon started to show their true colors and began to win big. As in any sport, practice after practice they became a real team and showed that no one could defeat them. The team made it all the way to the semi-finals district tournament ending their season with a record of 17-12 . Coach Kim Register had this to say about her team. " In my thirteen years of coaching, this is the most athletic team I have put on the floor. There was outstanding leadership in Tangela George and Wilma Hernandez."

## Varsity Volleyball Team



**Top Row (from left or right):** Sherale Bland, Ashley Jackson, Diana Coleman, and Donshe' Brown.
**Second Row:** Megan Miles, Sheena Harris, Casey Wise, and Brittany Kolmetz.
**Bottom Row:** Tangela George, Ariel Hogans, Wilma Hernandez, and Leslie Strickland.

**VOLLEYBALL**

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rutherford - Lost | Chipley - Won | Walton Co. - Won | Freeport - Lost | District Tourn. - 0-1 |
| Libery Co. - Lost | Blountstown - Lost | Chipley - Won | Cottondale - Won | |
| Holmes Co. - Won | Freeport - Lost | Chipley Tourn. - 4-1 | Cottondale - Won | |
| Walton Co. - Lost | Holmes Co. - Won | Altha - Lost | Liberty Co. - Won | |
| Kinston Tourn. - 3-2 | Altha - Won | Rutherford - Won | Blountstown - Lost | |

Top: The girls strike into action as the ball enters their turf.
Second Left: The team huddles for advice from Coach Kim Register.
Second Right: Diana Coleman and Sherale Bland go for the goal.
Bottom: Tangela George, #12, leaps for the hit.

## A Senior Moment

**Tangela George**

" This season has really been fun. We had a great season. I will truly miss my coach and teammates. I wish them the best of luck next year."

**Wilma Hernandez**

" I really enjoyed the volleyball season. We had a young team, but overall it was a great season."

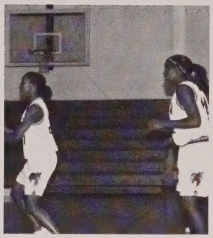
**Ariel Hogans**

" I really enjoyed the season. I enjoyed playing with everyone. Most of all I loved my coach. She was like another mother to me. I'll never forget the good and the bad times with her. I love you Mrs. Register."

**Leslie Strickland**

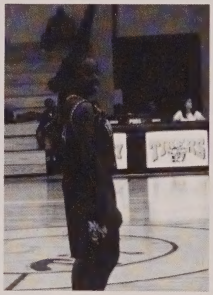
" I thought this year's season and team were great. Maybe that's because it was my last time playing with my teammates. My senior season was fun. We had so much talent and athleticism. It wouldn't have been the same without our coaches."

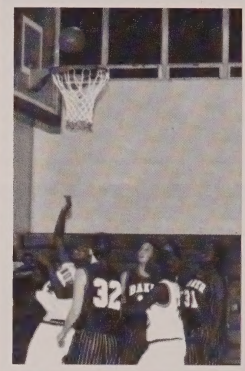
# Lady Jacket Basketball

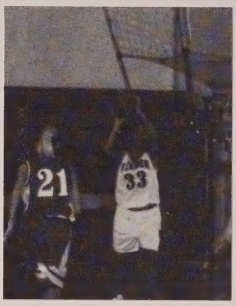


Above: Sherale Bland & Diana Coleman wait for the ball to be passed to one of them.

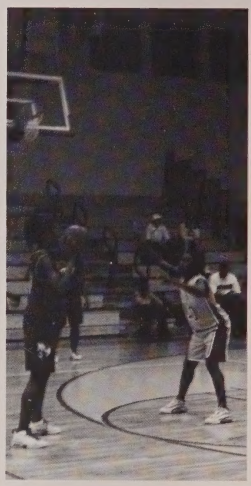
Below: Tangela George takes a break form the game to pose for a picture.







Left: Diana Coleman fights off a few Baker Gators to make the shot. Below Left: Donshe' Brown is waiting patiently for someone to get open. Below: Sherale Bland is working on getting the ball past a Chipley Tiger and into the hands of Diana Coleman.



# *Way to go Lady Jackets!!*

Back Row, Left to Right:

Coach Dennis Grey, Arial Hogans, Sherale Bland, Ashley Jackson, Diana Coleman, Donshe' Brown, Cierra Goldsmith, Tangela George, and Coach Michelle Plowman

Front Row, Left to Right:
Managers Shelly Adams, Celya Hearne, and Kay Sewell

Left:
Cierra Goldsmith looks for someone to pass the ball to as Tangela George looks on.

Right:
The Lady Jackets are waiting to get the rebound.

# Leading Scorers

Diana Coleman
Junior

Sherale Bland
Junior

Tangela George
Senior

## Famous Last Words

**Donshe' Brown**
*"We had a good season. I had a lot of fun being able to play basketball with my friends."*

**Tangela George**
*"The season was fun and very exciting. We didn't come out on top, but we still had fun. I will miss my teammates very much. I wish them a great season next year."*

## score board

15-7

| | US | THEM |
|---|---|---|
| Mosley | 66 | 41 |
| Ponce De Leon | 50 | 54 |
| Grand Ridge | 63 | 19 |
| Freeport | 67 | 36 |
| Chipley | 63 | 52 |
| Graceville | 77 | 34 |
| Holmes County | 34 | 59 |
| Graceville | 42 | 37 |
| Paxton | 42 | 58 |
| Walton Co. | 60 | 42 |
| Paxton | 60 | 53 |
| Baker | 46 | 63 |
| Baker | 58 | 46 |
| Freeport | 64 | 41 |
| Holmes County | 50 | 70 |
| Chipley | 55 | 34 |
| Bethleham | 44 | 50 |
| Walton Co. | 46 | 39 |
| Ponce De Leon | 57 | 49 |
| Grand Ridge | 54 | 20 |
| Mosley | 48 | 51 |

AND THE CROWD GOES WILD!

Above:
Cierra Goldsmith leaps for the ball to keep it from getting in the opponents hand.

Above:
The Lady Jackets are trying to prevent the shot from being made by a Grand Ridge player.

## 2 nd Place Panhandle Athletic Conference Tournament

# Lady Jacket Junior Varsity Basketball

**During the Season:**

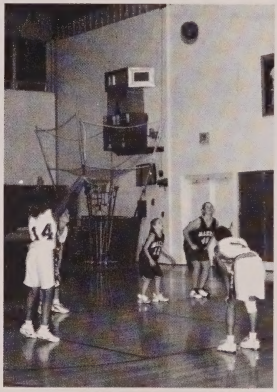
~ During part of the season they only had 6 players with one injured and still played every game.

~ Cassandra Nettles pulled a muscle in the back of her leg and was out for most of the season.

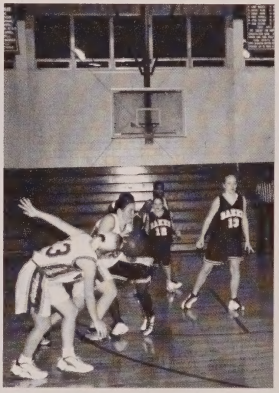
Back Row, Left to Right: Coach Dennis Grey, Alicia McDonald, Rebecca Strausbaugh, Nickia Andrews, Angel Wilson, Kayla Galloway, and Coach Michelle Plowman
Front Row, Left to Right: Managers Shelly Adams, Celya Hearne, and Kay Sewell

" I will never forget this basketball season. It was the most unique season I have played. The team worked really hard together & I had alot of fun!"

Nickia Andrews, Post



Above: Alicia McDonald is helping out the team by sinking a free throw.

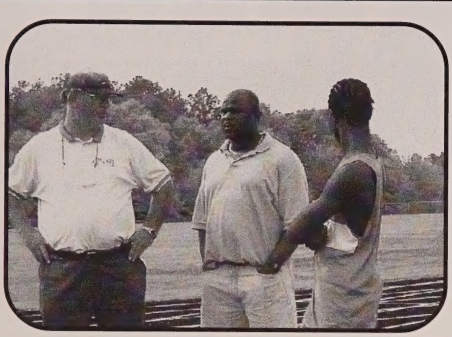


Above: Kayla Galloway is trying to get past the Baker Gators to make a shot with a little help from Brittnie Storm.

Right: Natasha Peterson and Nickia Andrews work together to make a basket.

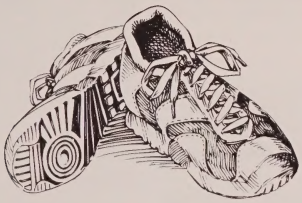
Way to GO!

# TRACK & FIELD



TC Coleman, Coach Davis, and Coach White at a track meet in Chipley.

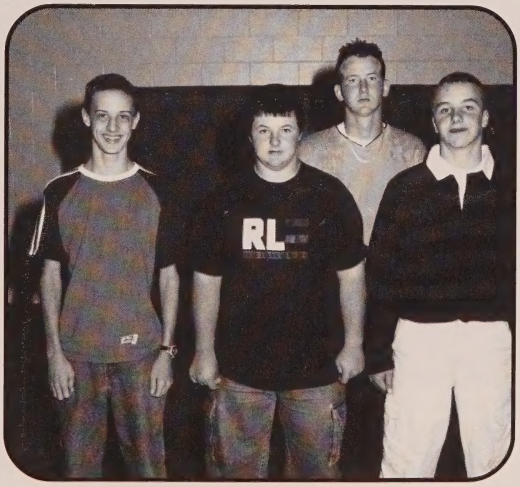
Tangela George and Sherale Bland take a rest at the District Track Meet.

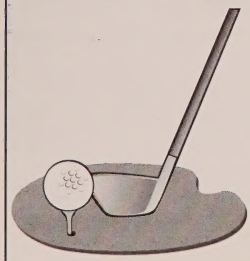


The School Adventure

# GOLF

The 2001-2002 Golf Team is: *From left*: Kenny Peoples, Brad Register, Charles Glover, and Brittan Brock.

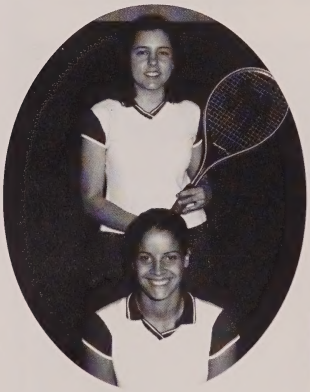




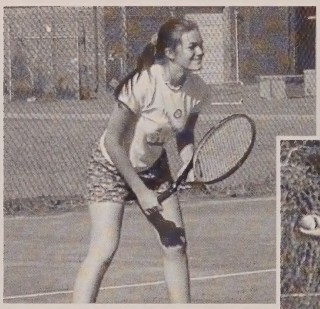
The BEST school in town

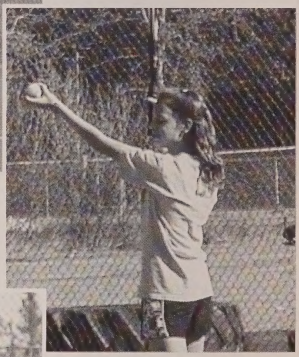
# Tennis Team

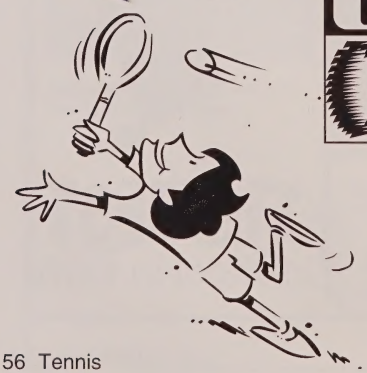
The 2001-2002 Tennis Team is: *Bottom, from left-* Christina Colson, Patti Suggs, Heather Bowen, and Stephanie Thompson. *Top, from left-* Brandy Kennamore, Ashly Boyce, Wilma Hernandez, and Velencia Stevens.



The two Senior Tennis players are Patti Suggs and Wilma Hernandez. The both of you will be greatly missed!







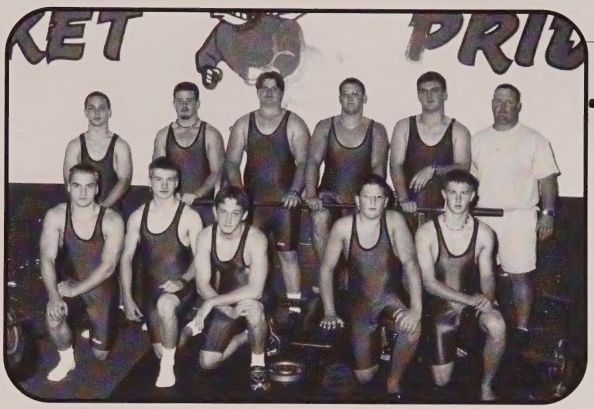
Top: Ashly Boyce stands waiting for the ball to come her way.

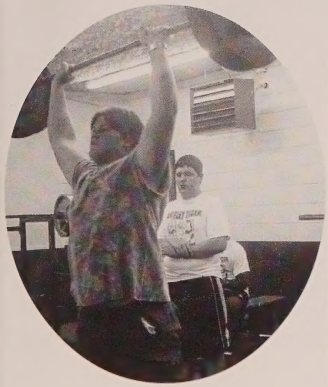
Middle: Stephanie Thompson serves the ball.

Bottom: Velencia Stevens practices her swing.

# WEIGHTLIFTING

The 2001-2002 Weightlifting Team is: *Front, from left*- Lee Richards, Eric Richards, Brad McNutt, Joe Presnell, Jimmy Phillips. *Back, from left*- John Swineheart, Dustin Vaughn, Josh Newsome, Jake Presnell, Jared Stufflestreet, and Coach Brad Johnson. **Not Pictured**: Joel Clark, Wilton Brock, Noah Boswell, Brad Gainey, Jonathan Nettles, Jonathan Brock, and Doug Cook.



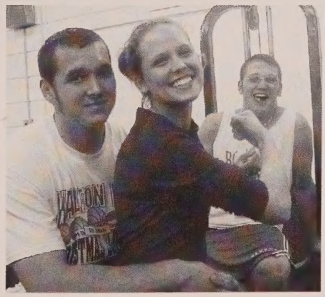


Clockwise: Jimmy Phillips competes for first place.

Lee Richards warms up on the bench, making it clear to Chipley who is the best.

Dustin and Jake are showin' that they are tough stuff, and can take anybody that comes their way.

Jonathan Nettles bench presses.



Senior Wilton Brock, 2nd place State Weighlifting Champ 2002 for 219 class poses with Christina and Jake. Hey Jake, didn't you learn not to chew with your mouth open?

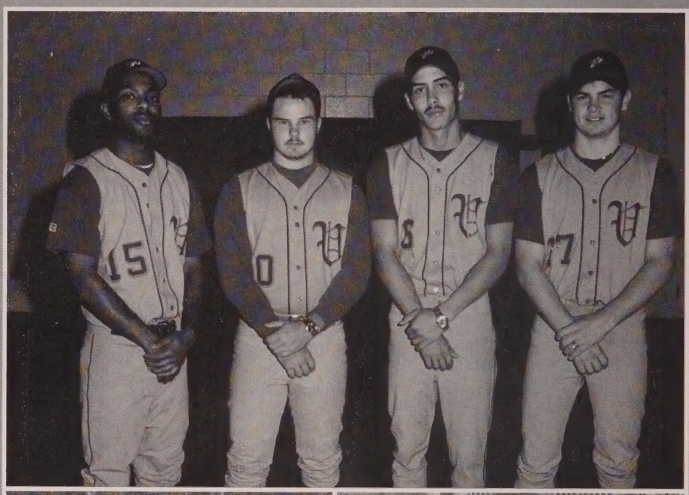
# Varsity Baseball

### Coach Howell

We had two different seasons this year. The first season we spent soul-searching, but the district tournament season we played with a lot of pride and enthusiasm. This shows that the kids should be a good group for the next couple of years.

### Coach Johnson

We had an unbelievable season. We started out slow, but came together and played good baseball going into the District Tourney and state play-offs. There is a good nucleus coming back for next season and we should make the play-offs again.

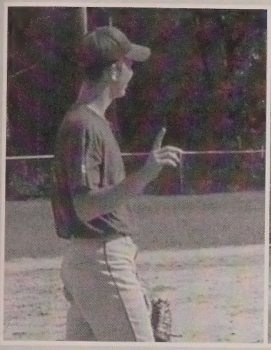


**Top:** Senior players Montrez Lee, Kyle Sapp, Steve Hagan, and Matt Finch.

**Above Left:** Will Yates prepares to strike 'em out.

**Above Right:** Brittan Brock is working hard behind the plate. Good job, Brittan!

**Right:** Heath Hewitt waits for the pitch while the catcher gives the sign.



# GO ALL OUT!

**Above Left:** Charles Glover tells his teammates there is one out.

**Above Right:** Montrez Lee is waiting on the perfect pitch for a homerun.

**Far Right:** Will Yates looks at the catcher for the call on the next pitch.

**Back Row:** Montrez Lee, Charles Glover, Chris Sciolino, Schyuler Brock, Steve Hagan, Matt Finch, DeJuan Stevens.

**Front Row:** Gary Corbin, Matt Whitfield, Kyle Sapp, Heath Hewitt, Desmond Brown, Brittan Brock, Will Yates.

## Scores

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cottondale | 7 | 9 |
| Blountstown | 1 | 6 |
| Samson | 11 | 1 |
| Sneads | 19 | 18 |
| Arnold | 2 | 12 |
| Graceville | 2 | 3 |
| Grand Ridge | 14 | 3 |
| Arnold | 4 | 7 |
| Bonifay | 2 | 3 |
| Blountstown | 4 | 7 |
| Cottondale | 4 | 7 |
| Walton | 3 | 9 |
| Chipley | 0 | 7 |
| Bonifay | 2 | 12 |
| Freeport | 6 | 14 |
| Graceville | 6 | 5 |
| Freeport | 6 | 4 |
| Kentucky | 15 | 10 |
| Kentucky | 8 | 3 |
| Tennessee | 6 | 1 |
| Chipley | 1 | 9 |
| Grand Ridge | 12 | 0 |
| Sneads | 3 | 9 |
| Bethlehem | 1 | 3 |
| Walton | 11 | 9 |
| Bonifay | 5 | 4 |
| Chipley | 2 | 3 |
| P'cola Cath | 1 | 18 |

Back row, left to right:Coach Johnson, Antawon Bush, Josh Hagan, Matt Crundwell, Chris Galloway, Jesse Taylor, David Sparks.
Front Row: Justin Coatney, Michael Park, Brittan Brock, Brad Register.

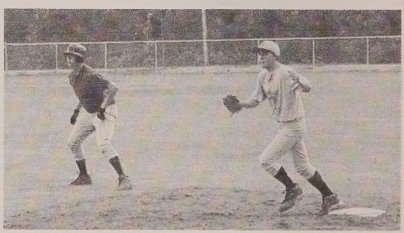
Brittan Brock tries to beat the throw to first base.

Coach Johnson Warms up the team.

# JV Baseball

Heath Hewett throws a pitch.

Jesse Taylor makes an out.



Brent Gibson gets a lead off.

# JV Softball

*Bottom, left to right are*: Brittnie Storm, Kortney Moody, Nicole Childs, Shannon Lopez, Kayla Galloway, Jerry Pate. *Back, left to right*: Coach Hendrix, Amanda Brock, Delcena Brown, Elizabeth Haddock , Lacey Dupuis, Angel Wilson, Jessie Losee, Coach Plowman.

Friends chilling on the bus after a winning game.

*"Softball this year was great. Everybody was kind, supportive, and did their best, like a team should."*

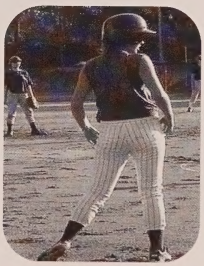
Jessie Losee

*"This years JV softball season was very fun, we really had a great season and enjoyed all that we did. .Although we missed playing with Kayla, we did just fine! I look foward to next year!"*

Elizabeth Haddock

Nicole swings and misses the ball, but don't worry with the next pitch she made contact.

Jerry waits anxiously for a ball to be hit to left field.



Elizabeth leads off of third base waiting to see what the catchers next move is.

Kortney winds up as she prepares to pitch a strike.

# Varsity Softball

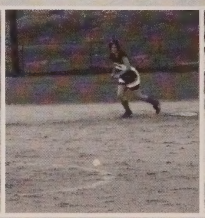
19 - 7 Season Record

| | VHS | Opp. |
|---|---|---|
| Graceville | 13 | 7 |
| Port St. Joe | 4 | 1 |
| Ponce deLeon | 13 | 2 |
| Graceville | 17 | 4 |
| Mosley | 1 | 15 |
| Holmes Co. | 14 | 4 |
| Walton | 11 | 3 |
| Freeport | 4 | 1 |
| Waltom | 7 | 5 |
| Northview | 0 | 4 |
| Spain Park | 12 | 3 |
| Tarrant | 1 | 2 |
| Blounstown | 12 | 2 |
| Blounstown | 10 | 6 |
| Holmes Co. | 10 | 7 |
| Ponce deLeon | 11 | 10 |
| Cottondale | 6 | 2 |
| Freeport | 9 | 7 |
| Chipley | 0 | 3 |
| Chipley | 1 | 6 |
| Mosley | 0 | 7 |
| Altha | 9 | 1 |
| Altha | 9 | 1 |
| Freeport* | 10 | 0 |
| Chipley* | 15 | 0 |
| Baker** | 0 | 3 |

* - District Tournament
** - Regional Tournament

Back Row, Left to Right: Coach Belinda Hendrix, Wilma Hernandez, Nichole Owens, Diana Coleman, Donshe' Brown, Brittany Kolmetz, Brandy Kennamore, Jennifer Cates, and Coach Michelle Plowman. Front Row, Left to Right: Manager Joseph VanVorous, Cassidy Hetzel, Arial Hogans, Sheena Harris, Leslie Strickland, Lindsay Clark.

## instant replay

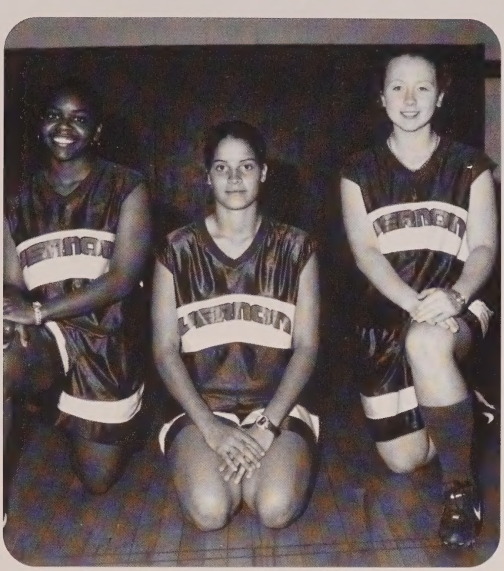


# District Champs

## District 2 Class 2A

**Sheena Harris, Pitcher**

"We had a really good season this year. I am really looking forward to next year because we should have an awesome team."



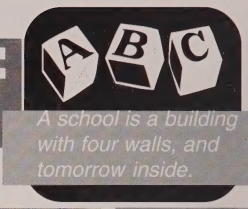
**Kayla Galloway, Catcher**

"I had a really good time playing this year even though I played only half the season due to an injury.We had a great season and I thought it went really well being I was only a freshmen. I am looking forward to next year's season."

Above: Seniors Leslie Strickland, Ariel Hogans, and Wilma Hernandez proved to be a real asset to this year's team.

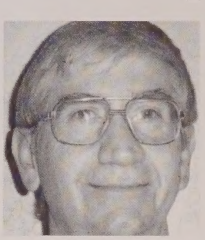
Left: After the Lady Jackets beat Chipley in the District Tournament, Coach Hendrix was soaked with the water cooler.

# Vernon High Faculty & Staff

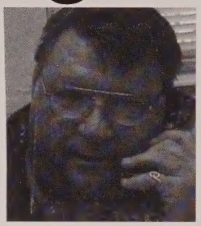



*A school is a building with four walls, and tomorrow inside.*

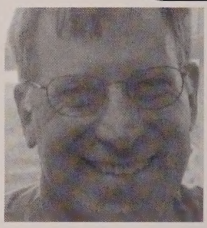
Eddie Adams
Art



Sgt. Bill Arndt
SRO

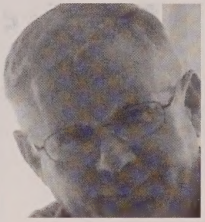


George Bradford
JROTC

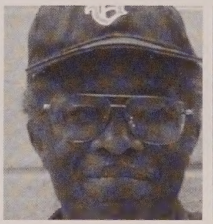


Deborah Brock
Lunchroom

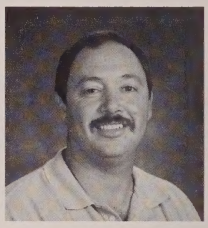
Michael Brock
Science



Brian Brown
Custodian



Charles Brown
Social Studies



Priscilla Brown
Paraprofessional

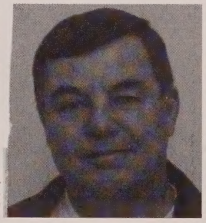
Sandra Cook
Mathematics

Jerry Davis
ESE

Joyce Dorch
Bookkeeper

Erika Dotson
Media Specialist

Berry Halladay
PE

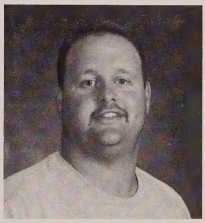


Beth Hayes
Lunchroom Manager

Belinda Hendrix
ESE

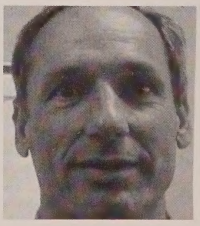
Trey Howell
ESE

Brad Johnson
Science

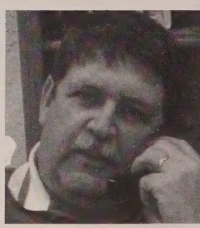


Judith Knapp
Language Arts

Greg Kuneman
JROTC

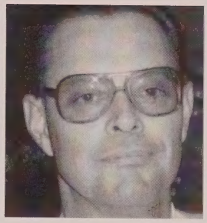


James Lee
Principal



Debbie Lloyd
Math and Tech

Terry Parker
ESE



Buddy Pennington
Drama and Spanish

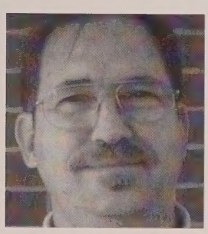
Hazel Pittman
Business

Ellawease Potter
Lunchroom

Alice Register
Guidance Counselor

Kim Register
Science/PE

Marie Register
Lunchroom



James Seaboch
Music

Charles Sexton
Social Studies

Sabra Shores
Language Arts

Blond Siples
Paraprofessional

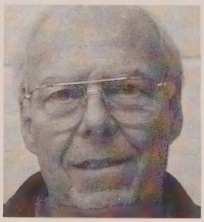
Tammy Smith
Mathematics

Sandy Solger
Science

Gary Speights
Assistant Principal

Hiram Tison
Agriculture

Judy Tison
Secretary



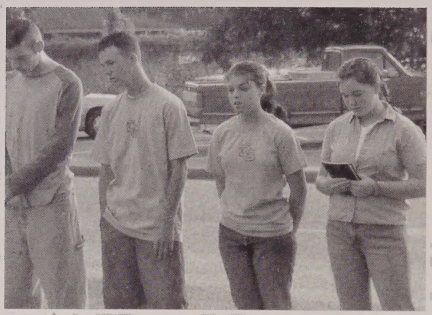
Aaron Todd
Physical Education

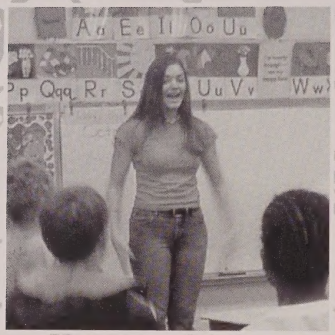
Kathy Walsingham
Mathematics

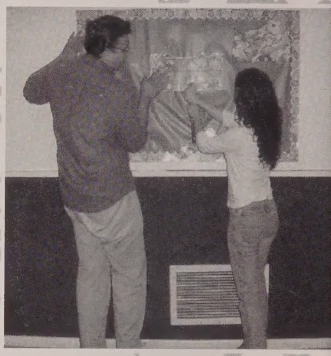
Lara Walsingham
Health Nurse

Beth Woodham
Language Arts

two thousand & two





# Clubs & Organizations

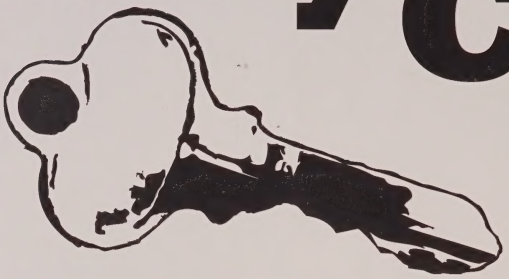
# Student Council

**Bottom row** Christina Colson, Ashly Boyce, Krista Marschka, Colleen Peoples, Patti Suggs -**2nd row** Jonathan Hetzel, Casey Taylor, Jill White- **3rd row** Samantha Suits, Kristen Kennedy, Kenny Peoples, Rebecca Strausbaugh, Leslie Strickland -**4th row** Brittany Kolmetz, Alex Mrazek, Nichole Owens - **5th row** Lindsay Clark, Kim Young, Donshe` Brown, Alesha Blair, and Jodie Evans

Only the BEST!

**Bottom Row:** Reporter- Leslie Strickland, Parliamentarian- Casey Taylor, Chaplain- Krista Marschka, Secretary Treasure- Kim Young **Top Row:** Vice President- Alex Mrazek, President- Jill White and Co- Vice President- Colleen Peoples

# Key Club



The Key Club Officers are: Leslie Strickland-President, Ashly Boyce-Vice President, Patti Suggs-Secretary, and Kim Young-Treasurer.

Key Club includes: *Back Row*: Summer Creamer, Lori Creamer, Wilma Hernandez, Alex Mrazek, Christina Colson, and Nichole Owens. *Middle Row*: Krista Marschka, Shelley Adams, Casey Taylor, Brandy Kennamore, Colleen Peoples, and Nicole Childs. *Front row*: Patti Suggs, Ashly Boyce, Kim Young, and Leslie Strickland

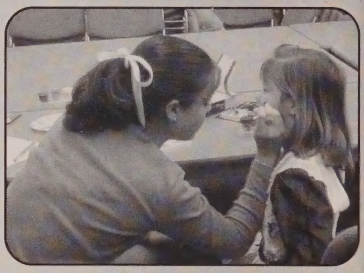
# FFA
# Future Farmers of America

FFA includes: *Back Row*: Timothy Garner, Trevor Smeltzy, Will Yates, Matt Miller, Justin Porter, Krystal Simmons, and Doug Brown. *Next Row*: Bradly Thomas, Kenny Peoples, Terry Suggs, J.D. Parrish, Charles Glover, Joshua Mullens, Heather Bowen, Kristin Kennedy, and Noah Boswell. Next Row: Stephen Reeves, Jesse Taylor, Michael Park, Jessica Hawkins, Nickole Desautels, Jennifer Cate, and David Sparks. *Bottom Row*: Robert Cook, Scott Marshall, Will Vaughn, Casey Taylor, Krista Marschka, Megan Hayes, Christy Cook, and Michael Straughsbaugh.

# FEA

Bottom row left to right, Casey Taylor, Krista Marschka, Ashly Boyce, Christina Colson, Brandee Wilson, Sharonda Belser, Brandi Baker, Charles Glover, Wilma Hermandez,Donshe'Brown, Brandy Kennamore, Nichole Owens.

Krista Marschka is painting the face of a Dallas Cowboy Cheerleader during FEA Trick or Treat Street.



Wilma Hermandez and Donshe' Brown help celebrate Valentines Day with the 2nd graders.

Mrs. Smith - FEA Sponsor

FEA Officers: President-Krista Marschka, Vice Presidents- Nichole Owens and Sharonda Belser, Secretary- Casey Taylor.

# FBLA

*Bottom left to right:* Celya Hearne, Chakita Andrews, Karrie Gentes,Sharonda Belser, La Toya Bell, Brittney Andrews, Shay Roche, Brandy Kennamore, Nicole Childs, Diana Coleman, Necy Smith.

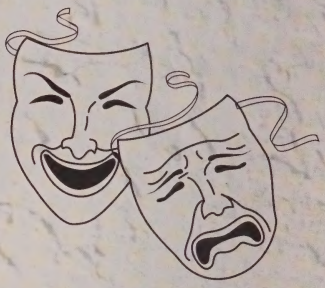
Above are FBLA members who placed in various events. They are (Left to Right), Dominique Works, 5th place; Andrena Johnson, 3rd place; Dejuan Stevens, 2nd place.

*Bottom left to right:* Nickia Andrews:Historian, Brandy Kennamore: Vice President, Andrena Johnson: Reporter, LaToya Bell: President, DeJuan Stevens: Treasure, Celya Hearne: Secretary.

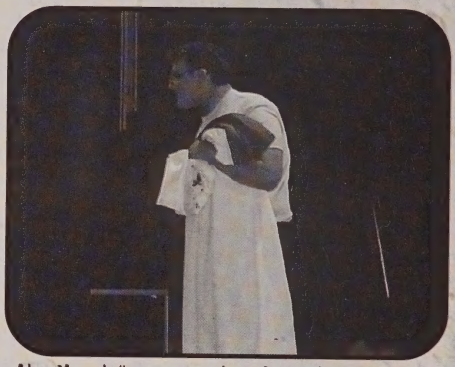
Mrs. Pittman -FBLA Sponsor.

# Drama

"..to be or not to be ..."



*Drama members, Top row*: Brittany Andrews, Kevin Scott, Tenora Davis, Kenny Peoples, Donshe` Brown, Alex Mrazek,Chakita Andrews,Andrena Johnson, Jacqueline Paul. *Middle row*: Stephanie Thompson, Jacquelyne Smelcer, Casey Taylor, Patti Suggs, Tia Abner, Brittany Strickland. *Bottom row*: Ceyla Hearne, Leslie Strickland, Nycole Hetzel, Theresa Dennis, Kayla Harrison, and Kim Young.



Alex Mrazek "goes not to bury Ceasar but to praise him."

Jacquelyne Smelcer and others piant by candle-light.

Andrena poses with Shakespear.

# F.C.A.

Front, left to right: Delcena Brown, Casey Taylor, Sharonda Belser, Tangela George, Jill White, Ariel Hogans, Sabrina Leavins, Nicey Baldwin, Kim Young, Nichole Owens, Brittan Brock, Krista Marschka, Casey Wise, Brandy Kennamore, Shelley Adams, Jennifer Churchwell, Brandee Wilson, Christina Colson, Ashly Boyce, Leslie Strickland, Stacy Glover, Kayla Galloway, Krystal Simmons, Lacey Dupuis, Sherale Bland, Ashley Jackson, Brittany Kolmetz, Donshe` Brown, Wilma Hernandez, Megan Miles, Brad Register, Charles Glover, Diana Coleman, Jacob Watkins.

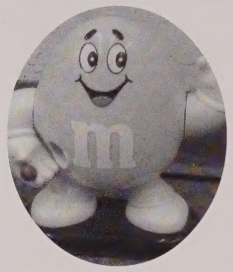
FCA sponsor Mrs.Kim Register speaks at an FCA rally.

# Bible Club

*Front, left to right*: Krista Marschka, Jill White, Jennifer Churchwell, Katrina Leavins, Krystal Simmons, Brandee Wilson, Wilma Hernandez , Jacob Watkins, Casey Taylor, and Charles Glover.

Mrs. Tammy Smith is the Bible Club Sponsor.

# Journalism

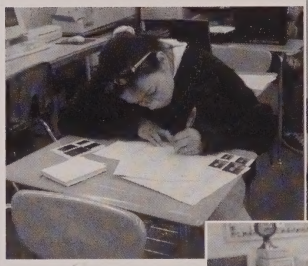


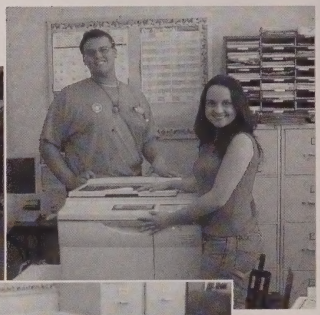
Our friend, Mr. M&M gives us a smile when we need it most.

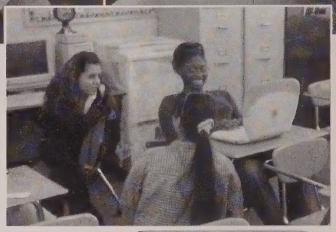
Left, Tiffany is working very hard on her yearbook pages.

Colleen and Alex run the monthly newspaper. Good work!

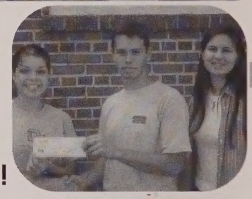
Everyone enjoyed the bright iBooks when we were producing our very own videos!







Newspaper Editor, Collen Peoples, Yearbook Editor, Krista Marschka, and Co-Editor, Nichole Owens.



**$50 WINNER!!**

Each person that orders a yearbook, gets their name put into a drawing for a prize of $50.This year, Noah Boswell was our lucky winner! Congratulations!

The Journalism staff includes: Patti Suggs, Colleen Peoples, Krista Marschka, Matt St.Amant, Nichole Owens, Fawn Brady, Tiffany Sumamal, Patrick Brady, and Alex Mrazek. Not pictured: Nickia Andrews and Casey Parish.

Ms. Lloyd is our happy sponsor!

# Beta Club

Mrs. Shores-Beta Club sponsor.

Beta Club is: *Front Row, from Left*: Krista Marschka, Colleen Peoples, Patti Suggs, Theresa Dennis. *Second Row*: Ashly Boyce, Christina Colson, Brittany Kolmetz, Leslie Strickland. *Third Row*: Brandi Baker, Casey Taylor, Nichole Owens, Kim Young. *Fourth Row*: Karrie Gentes, Kayla Harrison, Nycole Hetzel. *Back Row*: Alex Mrazek, Fawn Brady, Donshe' Brown, Torrea Brown, Charles Glover, Wilma Hernandez, and Shelley Adams. *Not Pictured:* Rebekah Sapp, Jill White, Lee Richards, Nickole Desautels, George Chaney, Jennifer Churchwell, Matt Whitfield, DeJuan Stevens, Chris Sciolino.

*Right*: The new inductees take the club pledge.

*Bottom*: The new Beta Club members, *Front Row, from Left:* Casey Parish, Richard Austin, Kenny Peoples, Jason Palmer, Heith Hewitt. *Back Row:* Dustin Vaughn, Jodie Evans, Chris Galloway, Alex Mrazek, Chris Widenborner, and Steve Hagan. *Not Pictured:* Samantha Suits, Chakita Andrews, Krystal Simmons, Gerry Prevatt.

President: Theresa Dennis, Reporter: Nichole Owens, and Vice-President: Krista Marschka. Not Pictured: Secretary: Jennifer Churchwell

# JROTC: Motivating young people to become better citizens.

Class trip to the planetarium at Landmark Park in Dothan, AL.

Everybody poses after a tour of the Marianna Caverns.

We never knew that putt putt golf could be so scary!

Our JROTC class poses after a hard nights work at Trick -or- Treat street.

A young graduate stops by for a little putt-putt.

Christmas Ball class picture

D.J. and date dance the night away.

Drill team gets ready for posting colors on Veterans Day.

We marched in the Chipley Veterans Parade and showed them a little somethin'!

Posting of the colors at the VFW

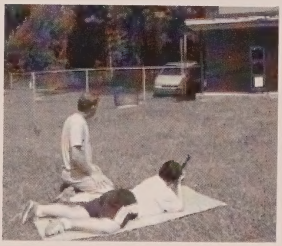
Homecoming Parade

ATTENTION!

Posting the colors at Black History month program.

Brandy cooks up a storm at the cadet BBQ.

The Raider team stands ready.



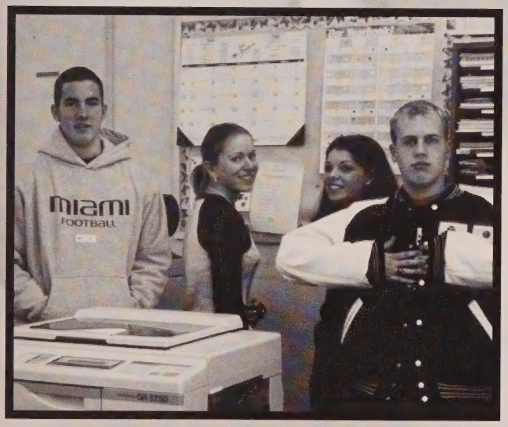
1SG Bradford helps Sabrina take aim during marksmanship training.

# the things we do...

## A Time To Discover

# Around...

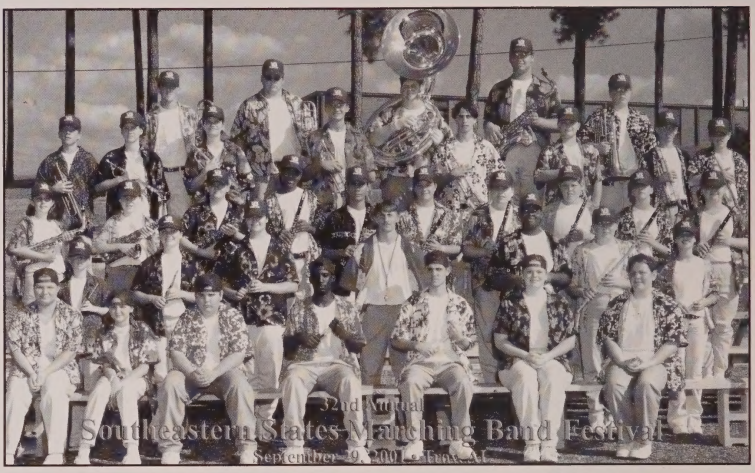
&

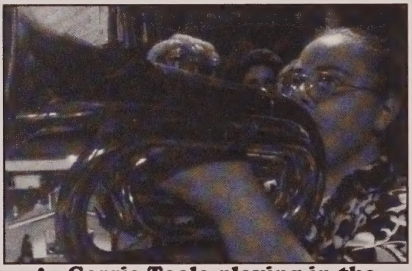


# ABOUT

# The Pride of Vernon

**This year's marching show had a Jimmy Buffett theme. The band played "Cheeseburger in Paradise", "Tequila",and "Margaritaville".**

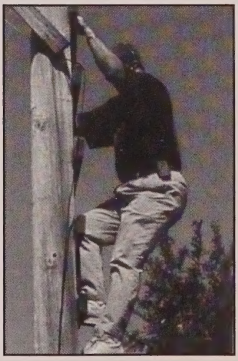


Gerrie Toole playing in the stands.

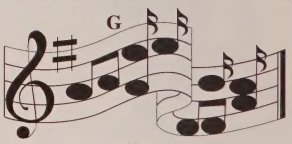
**The band performed at Troy State University, where they received a Superior rating.**

**Mr. Seaboch boldly goes where no band director has gone before.**



**Senior band members Clozell McDonald, Fawn Brady, Jesse Thornton, Joanie Payne, and Johnnie Payne (not pictured: Alex Mrazek).**

**The band put in many long and difficult hours practicing.**



# ♪♪TEQUILA!♪♪

Flutes: Jennifer Churchwell, Danielle Thomas, Jodie Evans, Claudia Payne, Melissa Burtschell, and David Williams.

Clarinets: Myron Washington, Hope Richards, George Chaney, Fawn Brady, Courtney Prevatt, Nikki Thompson, and Brian Wall.

Lower Brass: Jonathan Miller, Alex Mrazek, Gerrie Toole, Richard Westling, and Jesse Thornton.

Saxophones: Janese Story, Johnnie Payne (Drum Major), Keeley Willis, and Tony Desalvo.

Trumpets: Abby Smith, David Hackman, Andrew Mrazek, Mandy Blankenship, Mike Merring, Gary Sewell, William Landells, Miranda Earnest, and Blake Samples.

Percussion: Devon Toole, Sandra Baguzis, Clozell McDonald, Gerry Prevatt, Shayna Toole, Jophia Melanchuk, Sherry Foster, and Joanie Payne.

# Fall Sports Banquet

## VERNON HIGH FOOTBALL & VOLLEYBALL

Senior Volleyball Players and Managers are proud to show off their awards.

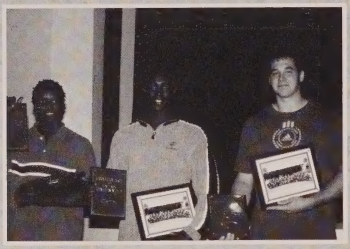
Matt Finch & Jonathan Brock hold up there plaques for the 100 % Award.

Jares Stufflestreet and Coach Willie McClain take time out to thank each other.

Football Player Joel Clark is happy to be reciving his plaque.

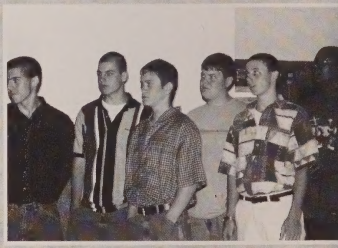
Senior Athletes gather to pose for an opportunity to display their awards.

Coach Berry Halladay welcomes everyone to the banquet.

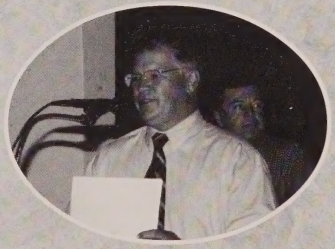


Seniors Clint Peace, Jonathan Nettles & Wilton Brock are proud of their awards.

Jake Presnell and Coach Berry Halladay shake hands as Jake recieves his awards.



J V Football players wait anxiously to recieve their team awards.



Coach Greg Presnell takes the time to thank all of the athletes who attended.

Sophomore, Heith Hewett accepts his award from coach Chris Tyre.

A few members of the volleyball team show off the muscles they built from playing volleyball.

# VHS Winter / Spring Athletic Banquet

*Golf, Cheerleading, Basketball, Softabll, Baseball, Track, Tennis*

Attendees enjoy supper prepared by the VHS lunchroom staff.

Varsity Boys Basketball Team

VHS Girls Softball Team

Coach Davis & Coach White

Athletes of the Year - Wilma Hernandez & Wilton Brock

Coach Michele Plowman and Coach Belinda Hendrix

Girls Junior Varstiy Basketball

VHS Tennis Team

Tangela George & Sherale Bland
VHS Track Members

VHS Girls Basketball Team

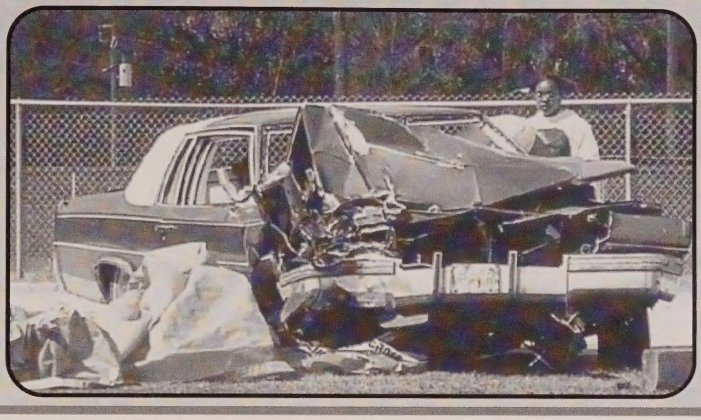
VHS Junior Varsity Basketball Team

# SPECIAL EVENTS and ACTIVITIES

# Mock Car Crash

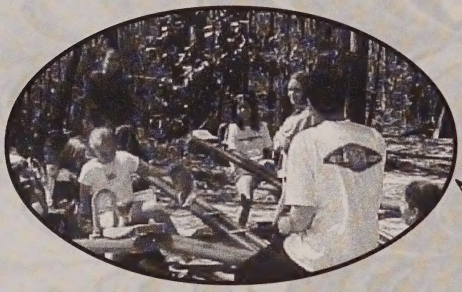
**March 2002**

This simulated car crash helped the students at V.H.S. realize the effects of drinking and driving. It was very realistic and will hopfully make everyone think twice before making a mistake that can't be taken back.

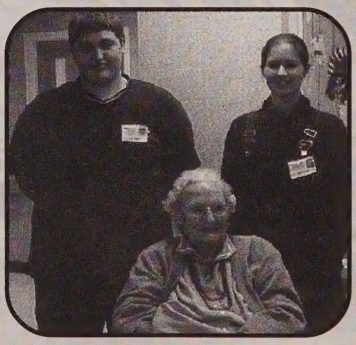


# Mrs. Kim Register's YOUTHLEADERSHIPCLASS

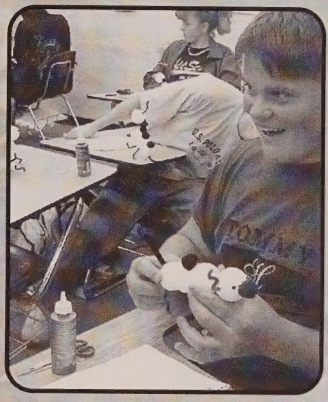
Students enrolled in the Vernon High School Youth Leadership Classs have had a valuable learning experience. Their eyes have been opened to numerous things through different Community and Service Learning projects. Students have participated in activities such as mentoring & tutoring elementary school children, visiting nursing homes and getting to know residents, making baby blankets, decorating Christmas and Easter Cards, making murals, wearing Empathy Bellies , and even taking a Baby-Think-It-Over baby home for 48 hours.

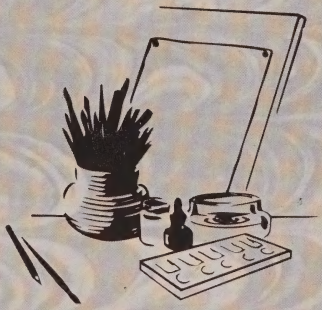


Accept the CHALLENGE



# Classroom Activities



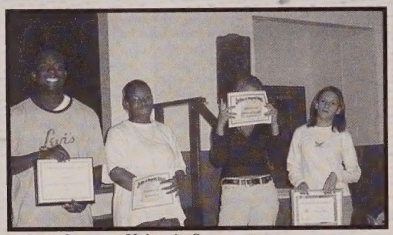


# Academic Awards

The underclassmen awards was one for the record books.
Three hundred and fifty awards were given!
An all time record!

Brittany Strickland, Velencia Stevens, Stephanie Thompson
Jacque Smelcer, DeJuan Stevens, Brandy Washington,
Jacob Watkins and Chris Weidenborner.

Crystal Simmons, Lee Richards, Shay Roche,
Jacque Smelcer and Matt St. Amant.



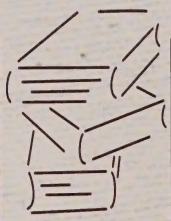
DeJuan Stevens, Velencia Stevens,
Rebecca Strausbaugh (hiding) and Brittany Strickland
receiving their awards.

Brittany Andrews, Chakita Andrews, Ashley Alford,
Tia Abner and Nickia Andrews.

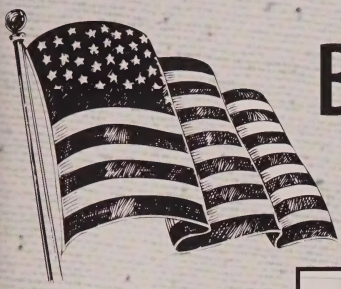
Newton Brock, Alesha Blair, Ashly Boyce,
Patrick Brady and Ross Brown.

Timothy Garner, Chris Galloway, Karrie Gentes,
Pamela Gerard and Elizabeth Haddock.

Erin Burch, Jennifer Cate, Sarah Burch, Nicole Childs
and Lindsay Clark.



Jonathan Hetzel, Brandon Isenhour,
Andrena Johnson, Amy Jones and Brandy Kennamore.



# Black History Month

Special Speaker Reverend Price Wilson from Jerusalem MBC.

*Gospel trio:* Myron Washington, Tangela George and Chakita Andrews

VHS Gospel Choir

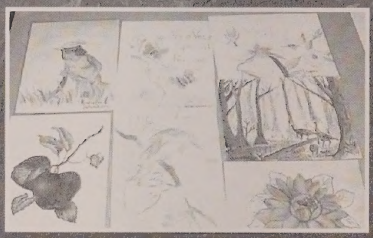
VHS step team. *Pictured left to right:* Delcena Brown, Dominique Works, Jennifer Anderson, and Nickia Andrews

Ariel Hogans reading her winning essay.

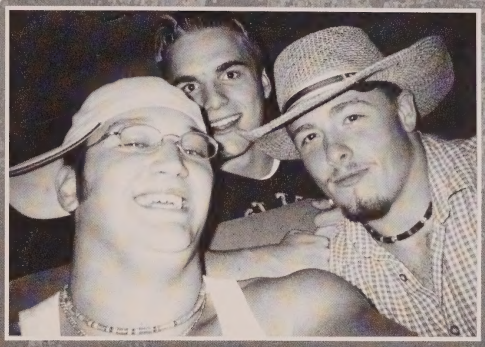
Mrs. Priscilla Brown singing.

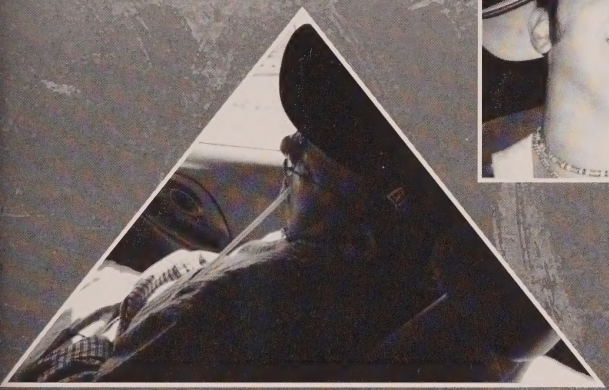
# Student Art Work

*Mr. Eddie Adams art class did alot of exciting projects this school year. Below are some pictures of various things they did throughout the year.*



# Student Life



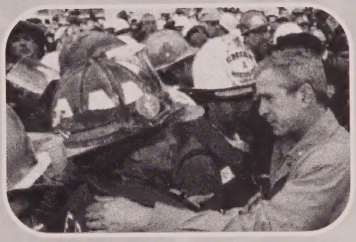


*Isn't Life A Bowl of Cherries?*

# September 11, 2001

## The Pentagon

## Firefighters and Rescue Workers Remembered



Terror On Tuesday
©Christine Riches Herman

Beyond Ney York and Pentagon blue eskies,
horrific terror mingles with death cries.
Suicide planes explode as bombs doom,
leaving steel rubble-human ashes entomb.

Dust we were...to dust we must all return ~
not in a tunnel of flames where bodies burn.
Hearts of evil strike in catastrophic power,
as innocent Americans know not the hour.

Thousands of victims - our land of the free,
are demolished by tons of terrorist debris.
War attacks midst vestige upon our soil,
bravest of men search on in rain and toil.

America saw today on rockets' red glare,
Symbols of power-bombs bursting in air.
Our nation, the world...In God We Trust,
Defend life, liberty and freedom - we must.

Unity in purpose pulls our burden as one,
as the beginning of our victory has begun.
Oh pray...cowards of terrorism be aware,
Our flag waves proof America's still there.

United Airlines Flight 93 in Pennsylvania

Tom Daschel introduces the new Homeland Security System

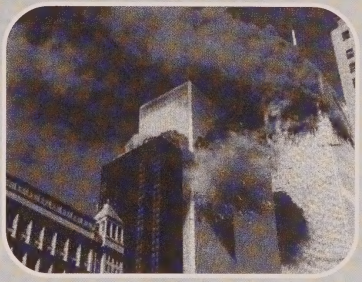
Red Cross workers helping at the WTC site.

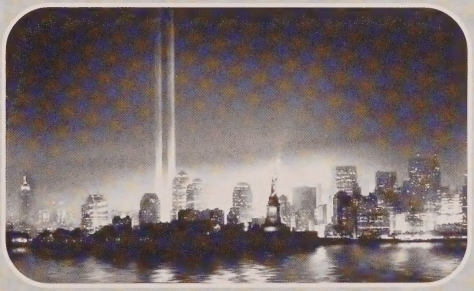
## America Fights Back

# The World Trade Center

## Before

## After



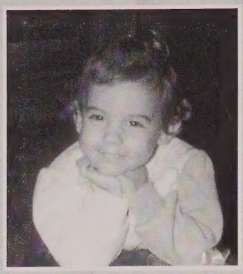


*"America was targeted for attack because we're the brightest beacon for freedom and opportunity in the world. And no one will keep that light from shining."*

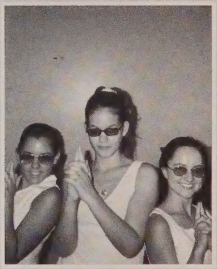
President George W. Bush

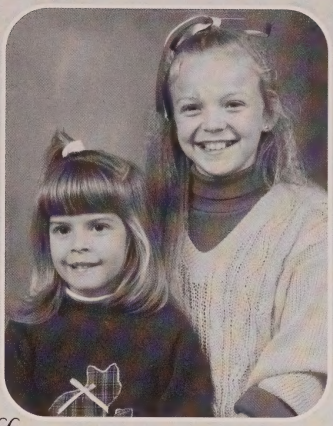
### *Timeline*

8:45 a.m. - American Airlines Flight 11 crashes into the North Tower
9:03 a.m. - United Airlines Flight 175 crashes into the South Tower
9:30 a.m. - President Bush addresses the nation
9:43 a.m. - American Airlines Flight 77 crashes into the Pentagon
10:05 a.m. - The South Tower collapses
10:10 a.m. - A portion of the Pentagon collapses
10:10 a.m. - United Airlines Flight 93 crashes in Somereset County, Pennsylvania
10:28 a.m. - The North Tower collapses
10:45 a.m. - All federal office buildings are evacuated
2:30 p.m. - The FAA announces there will be no US air traffic until noon Wednesday
4:25 p.m. - The ASE, Nasdaq and the NYSE announces they will be closed Wednesday
6:54 p.m. - President Bush arrives at the White House
8:30 p.m. - President Bush addresses the nation



# Patti Suggs





*Jill,*

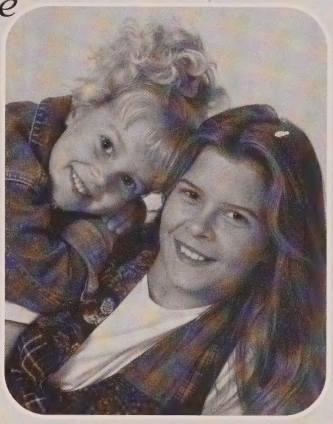
*You have always made us so proud of you. We love you very much.*

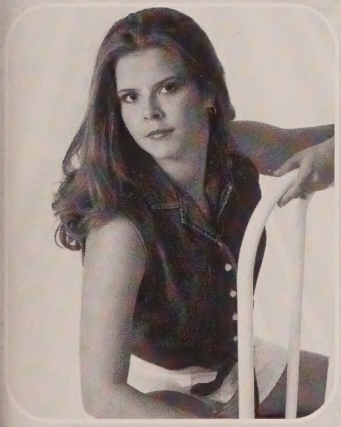
*Love,*

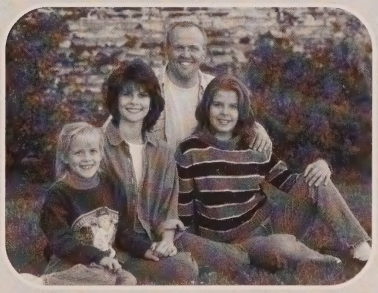
*Mom, Megan,*

*Grandmother, &*

*Grandaddy Jack*





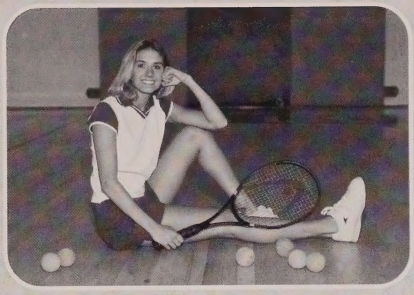


# Rebekah Joy Sapp

Rebekah,

We are very proud of the beautiful young lady you have become, and all you have accomplished thus far. Keep your heart true to God and your eyes on the goal.

Love,
Mom & Dad,
Jeremy, Angie, Wesley,
& Sharon



# Kayla Renae Harrison

*Kayla,*
*We love you very much!*
*Love,*
*Mom, Dad,*
*& Grandma*

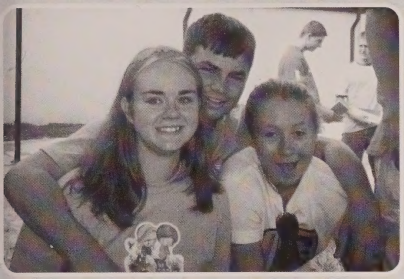
# Shelley Denise Adams

07/11/84

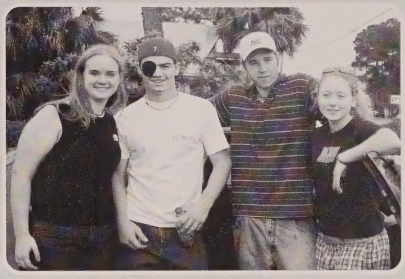
Dear Shelley,

We love you dearly and are very pround of what you have accomplished. You have worked hard and now you are reaping the success from that work. We could not ask for a better daughter and always know that we are here for you. You are # 1 to us and always will be.

Love,
Mama, Daddy,
& Emily

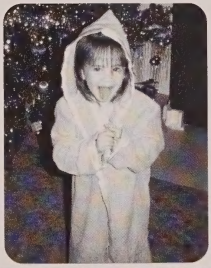


Kim Young



2000
Dear Brandee:
May 24, 1984
This was the day that my life had the most wonderful change. I was in anticipation of a son but got a whole lot more: You had to be my first born because God knew what it would take to keep me alive and to let me experience one of the most beautiful creations, He only could create, you have been a delight and you have been a strength to my life, you have never subtracted but always multiplied the joy of being a father to the only special daughter that I have. Always remember you are the first gift God gave your mother and I, that was God's choice and He never makes mistakes, now you have a brother, and he has the best big sister in the world. God has made us a family, you will always be Daddy's little girl.
Love Dad

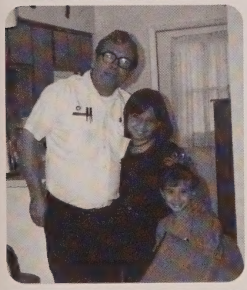
# Tiffany Ashley Sumamal

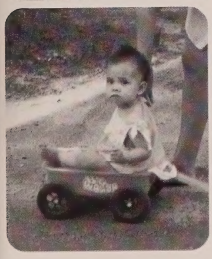


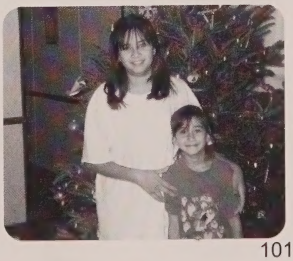
*Tiffany,*

*What a beautiful young lady you have become. Set your goals, think positive and you will suceed in everything you do. Always remember that someone is watching over you and believe in yourself. We wish you nothing but the best.*
*We love you always.*

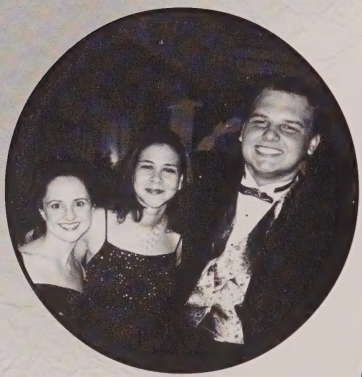
*Love,*
*Mom, Wayne, Desiree, and James*

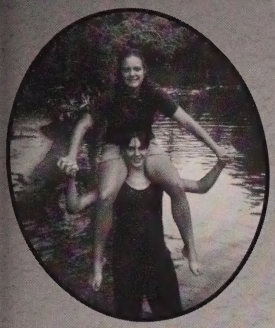
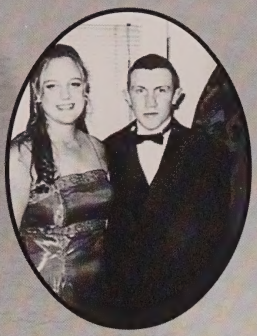






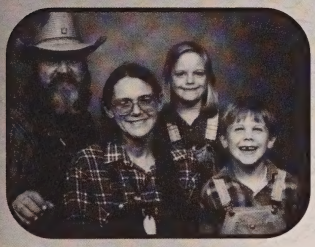
# Colleen Peoples



# Fawn Brady

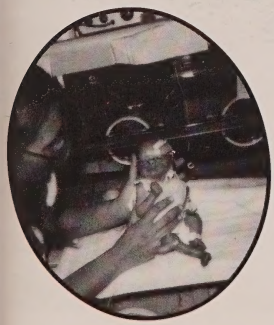
*The road ahead for a spirit so new*
*Can be filled with excitement and dreams*
*Education behind, now your life on the line*
*Life is simple, or at least so it seems.*

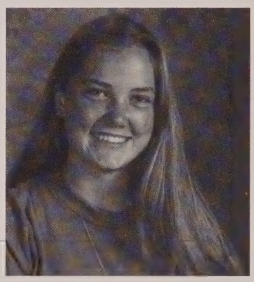


*Careers and existance and so many things*
*Await your decisions, whatever it brings*
*But your family's beside you as you tackle the task*
*And if ever help's needed, it's there if you ask.*

*So step proudly, Daughter, you've paved your way well*
*You've completed the test, even beaten the bell*
*A new life awaits; God speed and God bless*
*We all love you dearly; simply put*
*Keep doing your best!*

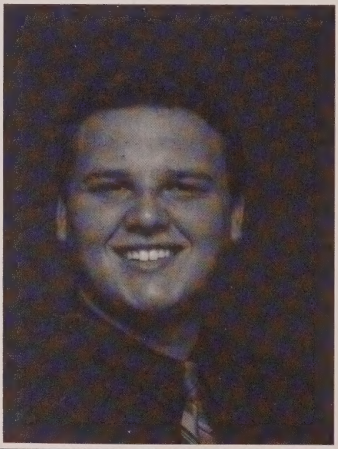
*Love,*
*Dad, Mom,*
*and Patrick*

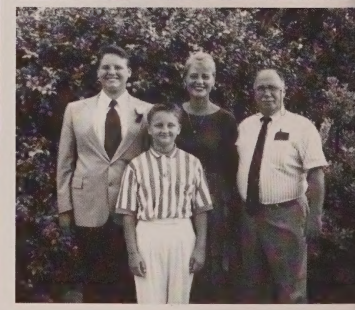




"All the world's a stage, and all the men and woman merely players."

*Just wanted to say thanks to all my fellow cast members*

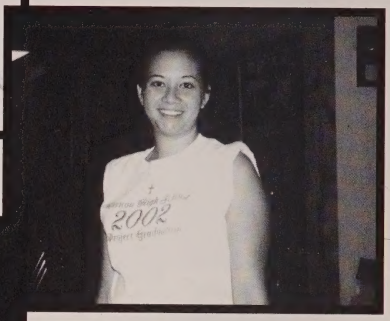


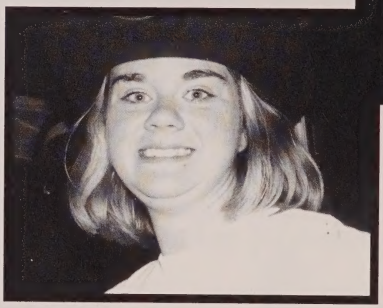


# Post Planning

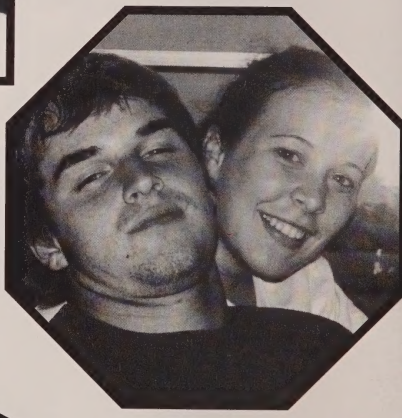
Post Planning is when the fun really begins for the teachers. Unlike students they have to return for three days after all students are out for post planning. This is when they turn grades in, clean their rooms and see who is missing books. (And for some, this is when they have their annual fishing competition and fish fry!)

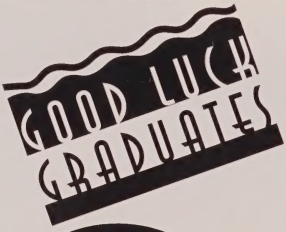
# Project Graduation 2002



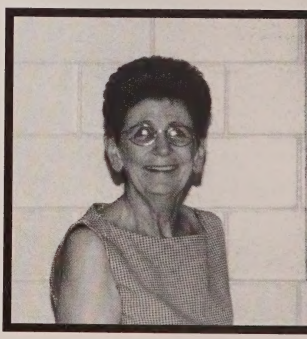



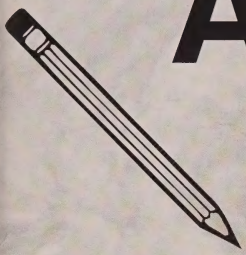
Left: Kim is wide awake and happy to finally be a graduate!





After a long night, Alex manages to give us a sleepy smile.





# AUTO-GRAPHS

WESTPOINT STEVENS

# West Point Stevens

## Chipley, Fl Plant

P.O. Box 625
Chipley, Fl 32428

(850)638-4120

Kings Discount Drugs
1238 Main St.
Chipley, Fl 32428
(850)638-4875

J. DENNIS DuRANT
Agent
DuRANT INSURANCE, INC.
Allstate Independent Agency

Allstate
You're in good hands.

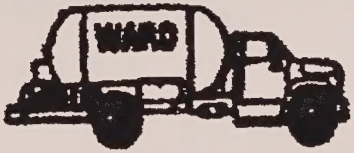
Allstate Insurance Company
507 S. Waukesha St.
Bonifay, FL 32425
Bus (850) 547-4222
FAX (850) 547-4829

YOU'RE IN GOOD HANDS WITH ALLSTATE

**Ward Propane Gas Company**

**'Why Pay More?'**

P.O. Box 367
Vernon, Fl 32462




Vernon - 535-1827
Bonifay - 547-4155

**'Quality Service You Can Depend On'**

WASHINGTON-HOLMES
TECHNICAL CENTER

757 Hoyt St.
Chipley, FL 32462

WASHINGTON - HOLMES TECHNICAL CENTER
OPPORTUNITY - SERVICE - 1967

(850) 638-1180
Ext. 317
or
1-877-638-WHTC

*Excellent Placement Into Careers With A Bright Future*

*Enroll Anytime * Financial Aid Available*

***25 Exciting Programs to Choose From***

## Wells F.R.M. Feed Store

638-0940
1222 Jackson Ave.
Chipley, FL

638-7025 Home
P.O. Box 357
Chipley, FL 32428
Max & Joyce Wells ~ Owners

## 1-888-CWMOTORS

C & W
1138 Main Street • Chipley, FL 32428

(850)638-5444
(850)638-5288 (Fax)

Owners:
Lynn Cope
Charlotte Cope

MEMBER

Richard C. Miller
President/Agent
Bus. (850)638-1805
Fax (850)638-7255

Independent Insurance Agent

AUTO
HOME
LIFE
HEALTH
BONDS
BUSINESS

## Rogers
INSURANCE AGENCY INC.

FARMS
LIVESTOCK
BOATS
MOTORCYCLES
FLOOD
TRAILERS

1396 Jackson Avenue
P.O. Box 430, Chipley, FL 32428
"Serving You Is Our Most Important Product"

## Lynn's 10 Minute Lube Center

1140 Main Street
Chipley, Fl 32462
(850)638-1464

Castrol

## Marion W. King

Registered Pharamacist

CHIPLEY DRUGS
1330 South Blvd. West
Chipley, FL 32428

Phone:
Store (850)638-1040
Residence (850)638-8831

COMPLETE FEED & SEED SERVICE BAGGED OR BULK

## Harris Farm Supply

3302 Creek Rd.~ Hwy. 278 W.
Vernon, FL 32462
(850)535-4128
Gary & Marsha Harris, Owners

## Townsend
Building Supply, Inc.

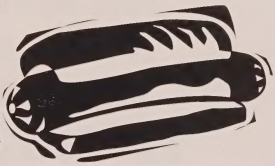
PHONE: (850) 638-1625
FAX (850) 638-8154
1520 HIGHWAY 90
P.O. BOX 628
CHIPLEY, FL 32428

# SOUTH SIDE STOP

## P.O. BOX 271

## Vernon, Fl. 32462

## (850)535-4238



## *Vernon Assembly of God*

*3349 McFatter Ave.*

*Pastor: Rev. Wesley Hall*

## *EVERYONE WELCOME*

Independent Insurance Agent®

## CLARK INSURANCE SERVICES INC.

Allen Clark
CERTIFIED INSURANCE COUNSELOR
HOME • AUTO • BUSINESS
BONDS • HEALTH

Phone: (850) 638-1927
Fax: (850) 638-1997
e-mail: clarkins@wfeca.net

814 MAIN STREET
P.O. BOX 587
CHIPLEY, FL 32428

Auto Value PARTS STORES

**Franks Auto Parts**

Frank Easterling, Owner

"The Parts You Want, The Value You Expect."

Auto ~ Truck ~ Tractor ~ Fleet Accessories
Welding Supplies ~ Hardware Supplies

3006 Main Street
Vernon, Fl 32462
(850)535-4038
*"Call Frank's First"*

Chipley Piggly Wiggly
1264 Church Ave.
Chipley, Fl 32428
(850)638-1751

Main Street Autocare Center
1335 Brickyard Rd.
Chipley, Fl 32428
Darrell Heath
Owner/Manager
Phone
(850) 638-0572

Funeral Director
REASONABLE DEPENDABLE

1068 MAIN ST.
CHIPLEY, FLA 32428
PHONE 638-4010

BROWN FUNERAL HOME

DONALD BROWN
LFD, MANAGER

# The Bank of Bonifay

224 Waukesha St.
Bonifay, Fl 32425
(850)547-3624

$$

Member FDIC
Serving the
area since1906

Your Hometown Bank!

MH

**Congratulations**
**Class of 2002**
**from**

**The Mortgage Home Inc.**

MH

1414 Main Street, Suite 4
Chipley, Florida 32428

Phone:
(850)638-3434

Licensed Mortgage Brokerage Business

jostens